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Name	Died
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Frederick Klinger	1823
Abram Ponsler	1824
John George Pfrimmer	1825
John Harvey	1828
Thomas Haines	1828
Jacob Mahan	1828
Archibald E. Michael	1829
Philip Sauer	1829
Michael Coover	1832
George Hoffman	1839
Robert Duncan	1839
Bishop Andrew Zeller	1839
Henry Joseph Frey	1841
Peter Ogborn	1841
Peter Bonebrake	1842
Jacob Flickinger	1842
Christian Shearer	1844
Isaac V. D. Robertson	1846
David Kiser	1848
Robert Bonebrake	1849
Robert A. Wheat	1850
William R. Lewis	1850
Jacob Kemper, Sr.	1851
Bishop Henry Kumler, Sr.	1854
Martin Boehm	1855
Daniel Bonebrake	1856
Bishop Joseph Hoffman	1856
John Zeller	1857
Curtis Edwards	1858
John Allen	1859
William R. Rinehart	1861
Jacob Antrim	1861
Jacob Surface	1861
Swain Corson	1862
Daniel Trover	1863
Thomas Shain	1863
Daniel N. Fleming	1863
John Kemp, Sr.	1865
Jacob M. Marshall	1866
Henry Bonebrake	1866
Jacob G. King	1867
Bishop Jacob Coons	1869
John Coleman	1871
Elias W. Hoffner	1873
Daniel Antrim	1873
O. Shoop	1873
Conrad Bonebrake	1874
John L. Hoffman	1875
Simon Geeting	1875
Stephen M. Hearn	1877
William Nichols	1878
Jacob King	1878
James Fleenor	1879
Adam Hetzler	1880
John Slife	1880
William K. McCabe	1881
Frank N. Fowler	1881
Bishop Henry Kumler, Jr.	1882
Daniel C. Kumler	1882
John Kemp, Jr.	1883
Henry Hoffman	1884
W. H. Lanthurn	1884
Luke E. Pierce	1884
G. L. Gilbert	1885
W. W. Coons	1886
James Long	1888
Christopher Flinchbaugh	1888
Henry Tober	1889
Chester Briggs	1890
Henry Surface	1891
Joseph Gomer	1892
Lawrence Burns	1894
W. G. Wells	1896
L. A. McGrew	1898
John Walter	1899
W. R. Houlton	1899
J. W. Glenn	1902
J. B. Doughman	1902
Sarah A. Dickey	1904
Granville M. Hemphill	1905
Cyrus J. Burkert	1905
Columbus Hall	1906
William McKee	1907
J. D. Holtzinger	1907
J. W. Bovey	1908
D. Myers	1908
S. M. Hippard	1909
C. H. Snyder	1910
F. G. Grigsby	1910
Henry Garst	1911
D. K. Flickinger	1911
G. W. Arnold	1912
W. K. Albright	1914
J. L. Swain	1917
W. J. Pruner	1917
C. W. Kurtz	1918
H. A. Bovey	1919
Thomas F. Bushong	1919
William J. Shuey	1920
G. A. Thompson	1920
Daniel Berger	1920
F. H. Bohn	1921
Bishop G. M. Matthews	1921
J. E. Yingling	1921
E. W. Bowers	1921
C. W. Miller	1921
J. M. Replogle	1921
M. R. Geyer	1921
D. E. Myers	1921
E. H. Caylor	1923
J. W. Wurtz	1923

Remembered

Name	Died
J. H. Halstead	1924
S. S. Huddle	1925
J. P. Stewart	1926
M. E. Gibson	1927
J. N. Beckett	1927
J. W. Kilbourne	1927
G. A. Wahl	1928
C. E. Plack	1928
C. W. Stephens	1928
J. D. Williams	1928
J. W. Flory	1928
Alfred Kissel	1929
W. H. Klinefelter	1929
H. A. Sechrist	1930
W. H. Smelker	1931
Bishop C. J. Kephart	1932
R. P. Dougherty	1933
W. M. VanSickle	1934
Ruth E. Hemphill	1935
A. Dunkleberger	1936
A. E. Bitner	1936
G. T. Powell	1937
Calvin McNelly	1937
J. P. Landis	1937
J. H. Mayne	1938
J. Assell	1938
W. E. Michaels	1938
S. F. Daugherty	1938
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E. C. Petry	1939
O. L. Barngrover	1939
W. C. Niswonger	1939
D. S. Eshelman	1940
S. E. Rasey	1941
W. C. Andreas	1941
J. A. Pantle	1943
A. E. Landis	1943
M. I. Comfort	1944
C. B. Boda	1946
Mrs. Ella Circle Bailey	1947
Bishop H. H. Fout	1947
A. C. Witham	1947
S. L. Brill	1948
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M. W. Mumma	1950
C. W. Snyder	1950
W. T. Frank	1951
Ralph B. Ditmyer	1951
J. C. Goodrich	1951
George R. Jacoby	1952
W. R. Hughes	1952
Frank S. McEntire	1953
E. E. Saul	1953
Elias Cross	1954
J. L. Armstrong	1956
Bishop D. T. Gregory	1956
Bishop Fred L. Dennis	1958
Dwayne Myers	1958
Maude Hoyle	1958
Bishop A. R. Clippinger	1958
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Edward H. Hammon	1958
Lorin S. Stine	1958
James A. Robinson	1958
John D. Nisewonder	1958
Orrie O. Arnold	1959
George Kopittke	1959
L. M. Hohn	1959
Walter Schutz	1961
Eugene Turner	1961
A. J. Furstenberger	1961
Charles E. Fryman	1961
Osa D. Wellbaum	1961
Charles R. Smith	1962
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RULES OF ORDER

1. No member of the conference may absent himself from the annual session without permission of the conference.

2. Anyone wishing to speak shall rise and respectfully address the chair. In case more than one should address the chair at the same time, the presiding bishop shall decide who is entitled to the floor.

3. No one shall be interrupted while speaking, except in cases of missapprehension of the subject before the conference, or the introduction of anything out of order, and then only when so decided by the presiding bishop, or by a majority of the members of conference present.

4. No one shall be permitted to speak more than once upon the same subject until all who wish to speak have spoken.

5. No one shall speak on any one question before the conference for more than five minutes except by special permission of the conference.

6. All motions or resolutions shall be reduced to writing before being voted upon, if the presiding bishop, the secretary, or any two members request it.

7. All special committees shall be appointed by the presiding bishop unless otherwise ordered by the conference.

8. All references to committees shall be presented to this conference no later than the close of the afternoon session of the first day of conference except such matters that may arise out of the regular business of the conference.

9. Individuals, institutions, and organizations of the local and general church having matters that need to be considered by the conference through committees shall submit such items in writing, and address them to the presiding bishop not later than the first day of the conference session.

10. The Committee on Ways and Means shall annually edit and codify the standing resolutions of the conference.

STANDING RESOLUTIONS

In Regard to Missionary Appropriation

1. Resolved, that the missionary money appropriated to the different missions in this conference shall be paid monthly. The conference superintendent shall have the power to order payments withheld from a pastor of a mission church who fails to faithfully perform his duties, until further action is taken by the Conference Council.

2. It is expected that pastors and/or church receiving missionary appropriations shall cooperate with the conference program.

3. The conference Treasurer shall send appropriation checks to the local church treasurer with the understanding that each local church will be responsible for paying the nine per cent pension allotment on total salary.

4. Wherever possible, missionary appropriations to a church, should be made on an annual receding schedule.

5. Mission charges or churches shall be under the direction of the Conference Board of Missions.

6. The Conference Board of Missions shall recommend to the Committee on Boundaries, Appropriations and Finance as to the financial assistance mission churches or charge shall receive. (Revised 1953, Amended 1956, 1964)

In Regard to Ministerial Aid

WHEREAS, there seem to be certain inequities in the method of giving Retirement Aid and,

WHEREAS, there is a degree of confusion in the various standing resolutions heretofore used as a basis for retirement aid, and

WHEREAS, there seems to be a real desire to clarify and determine a policy for Retirement Aid:

BE IT THEREFORE RESOLVED that the following become the policy of Retirement Aid. Said policy is subject to review and adjustment at each annual conference session.

1. That all ministers granted superannuated relations by the Annual Conference, shall be eligible for retirement aid, except that beginning with the Annual Conference of 1957 no superannuated minister serving as a supply pastor within the bounds of Ohio Miami Conference, and receiving a salary of $1800 or more during each succeeding twelve month period following Conference-granted retirement shall be eligible for Ministerial Aid Appropriation.

   a. In the event a minister has transferred to the Ohio Miami Conference from an Ohio Conference after 1957 and has served at least 10 years in this Conference, he shall be entitled to retirement aid on the basis of years of service in the direct employ of Ohio Conferences.
   b. In the event that a minister is rendered incapacitated by illness the ten years service requirement shall be waived.
   c. Ministers entering Ohio Miami Conference by merger of Conferences or by change of boundary shall be treated the same as persons already members of the Conference.

2. That retirement aid will be paid to those granted superannuation by the Annual Conference on the basis of years of service.

   a. Rate of payment per year may be adjusted as conditions require, but years of service in the Conference shall be the basis of payment.
   b. Persons whose ministerial service to Ohio Miami Conference has been on a part time basis shall receive a maximum of one-half the rate of payment voted by the Annual Conference.

3. That the maximum number of years for which retirement aid will be paid shall be 30.

4. That the conference appropriation and dividends of the Otterbein Press and Publishing Interests constitute the Fund from which the retirement aid will be paid.

5. The rate paid per year will be determined annually by vote of the Annual Conference depending on the amount of funds available.

6. That widows shall be dealt with as special cases, and shall be granted aid on the basis of years of active service spent with their husbands in the Ohio Miami Conference.

7. That ministers rendered incapacitated by illness shall be treated in the light of their special need. It is understood that the total money received by any person from the Conference Aid Fund in the foregoing category shall not exceed but may be equal to the maximum received by other beneficiaries of the Fund.

8. That the administration of Ministerial Aid funds and all decisions regarding recipients of those funds be cared for by the Conference's Board of Pensions.

9. That the Conference Board of Pensions be authorized to make additional expenditures of such funds as may be made available to them to meet the need of any minister who may fall in a special category. (Adopted 1951—amended 1952, 1956, 1962, 1963, 1964).

In Regards to the Conference Staff Relations Committee

Resolved that the Ohio-Miami Conference have a committee to advise the Conference Staff.

I. Name:

Conference Staff Relations Committee

II. Function:

The Committee shall confer with the members of the Conference Staff, either individually or as a group, on any matters which either the committee or Staff Members wish to discuss. The committee shall work in an advisory capacity in serving as a liaison between the Conference Staff and the members of the Annual Conference. The committee shall report to the Conference Council of administration such matters as it deems necessary.

III. Membership:

The Committee shall consist of seven persons—four Ministers and three laymen. One minister shall be appointed annually by the Conference Staff. Three Laymen and three ministers shall be elected by the Conference Council of Administration. The elected members shall serve three year terms. The enabling rsolution shall be such that one layman and one minister shall be elected to a three year term every year at the first meeting of the Conference Council of Administration following Annual Conference Session.

IV. Officers:

The committee shall meet as soon after its election as possible at the call of the chairman or the conferen e superintendent. The committee officers shall be a chairman and a secretary and shall be elected annually from its membership.

b. That the following enabling action be adopted: (Enabling resolution to initiate committee and allow continuity)

At the first Council of Administration meeting following the Annual Conference Session of 1964, there shall be elected six members of the Con-

ference Staff Relations Committee as follows:

One Layman and one minister elected for one year term.
One Layman and one minister elected for two year term.
One Layman and one minister elected for three year term.

The Conference Superintendent shall call a meeting of members elected and appointed as soon as possible following the Council of Administration meeting for purpose of organizing. In subsequent years the committee chairman will call such a meeting following the first Council of Administration meeting. In the event that the chairman's term of office concluded and he was not re-elected, the conference superintendent will call such a meeting. (Adopted 1964)

Conference Proceedings

WEDNESDAY MORNING SESSION

The one hundred fifty-fifth annual meeting of the Ohio Miami Conference was held in the Fairview Church, Dayton, Ohio. The Rev. H. Eugene Risch played "Reflection" by F. W. Asper as a prelude to the opening of the worship experience. During this number the candles were lighted by two acolytes from the Fairview Church, John Barr and David Bowers. The music, the beautiful appointments of the church and the setting of the altar for Holy Communion helped to usher the congregation into a mood of expectancy.

Bishop Paul M. Herrick called the conference to order by declaring that the one hundred fifty-fifth session is now assembled in the name of God the Father, Son and Holy Spirit. He called us to worship with the words of Psalm 100 verses 1-5. The congregation responded by singing The Gloria Patri. The Rev. Milford E. Ater directed the singing.

The Service of Holy Communion

Dr. William K. Messmer, conference superintendent, read the Epistle Lesson which was taken from I Corinthians 10:16-21.

The congregation sang the hymn entitled "I Sing The Almighty Power of God."

The Gospel Lesson, taken from Luke 22: 14-19, was read by the Conference Director of Program, Rev. Charles C. Messmer. This was followed by a prayer voiced by Rev. Louis O. Odon, Conference Director of Development.

The Rev. Henry Brooks, Treasurer of United Seminary, sang a solo entitled "The Lord Is My Light." This was written by Frances Aultsen.

Bishop Paul M. Herrick prepared us for the communion service by delivering a helpful message using the theme "A Qualified Communicant." He reminded us that the Holy Communion is a sacred and a satisfying experience which ushers us into the historic stream of our religious heritage, faith and fellowship. The primary qualification is that we love God. This love sometimes leads to suffering, it should produce a spirit of sharing and cause us to search our hearts; love all people; dedicate ourselves to Christian Service and produce a spirit of penitence.

Dr. William K. Messmer led in a prayer for the church after which we sang James Montgomery's hymn "According To Thy Gracious Word."

Bishop Herrick read the prayer of General Confession from the ritual of Holy Communion which was followed by the Words of Assurance by Dr. Messmer.

The congregation was led in the Act of Praise by Bishop Herrick.

The invitation to Communion was extended by the Bishop in the breaking of bread and the offering of the cup. The distribution of the elements was made by Drs. William K. Messmer, and Carl B. Eschbach. The Revs. Maurice Parsons, Gerald Geiger, Forrest Garner, Walter Miranda, Owen Delp, William Worth, Paul Chastain and Francis Huber served the congregation. During this time Rev. H. Eugene Risch played a medley of familiar and appropriate hymns.

The communion service was closed with a prayer and benediction by Bishop Herrick.

Memorial Service

The service of memory was introduced by a solo sung by Rev. Henry Brooks entitled "Eternal Life" by Olive Dungan, this is a choral arrangement of a prayer of St. Francis of Assisi which begins "Lord make me an

instrument of thy peace."

The Rev. Clifford Stearns read a memorial sketch honoring Mrs. Lewis Ludwick. (See Report No. 10). He then read a list of names of Lay persons who have served our churches as Sunday School Teachers or members of Local Conference.

The congregation sang the Hymn "Saviour Like A Shepherd Lead Us."

A meaningful memorial address was delivered by the Rev. Edward Aldstadt who used as his theme the subject "A Continuing Confidence."

Recess

The Bishop declared a ten minute recess during which the church was arranged for the Business Session.

Business Session

Rev. Ater led in the singing of the hymn entitled "God of Grace and God of Glory" by Harry E. Fosdick.

Dr. Carl B. Eschbach, host pastor, spoke words of welcome and made brief announcements.

The Secretary called the roll. Greetings were noted from Bishop J. Gordon Howard, Archie Wolfe, Robert Ryder, Leo Venatta, E. H. Dailey and W. P. Channon. Rev. C. W. Peckham, Earl Toy, Harold Messmer, Howard James, Clifford Stearns, J. P. Hendrix and E. S. Comrey were excused from portions of the conference sessions.

Mrs. Rhoda Shepherd was seated for the entire session replacing the elected delegate from Mt. McKinley Church; Mrs. Orval Bragg was seated from Castine-Yankeetown charge and Mrs. Nola Reigle was seated for today only from the Otterbein-Savona charge.

The student pastors who were present were introduced. They were: Francis Bach, Potsdam, Harold Miller, State Road, James Legg, Miami Chapel, Arden Mercier, Castine-Yankeetown, Vernon Denney, Pyrmont, Wendell Butt, Willey Memorial, Donald Van Kirk, New Hope, Dwayne Ferguson, Ginghamsburg, Clair Troutman, Bowlusville, Albert Howard, Troy Street, Robert Fyffe, Drexel Park, Fred Luzader, Waterhouse-Hillgrove, Thomas Webb, West Manchester, James Melhorn, Otterbein-Savona.

Dr. O. T. Deever (Kansas) retired secretary of Evangelism and his son Dr. Philip Deever a teacher at Evangelical Theological Seminary, Nordan Murphy, secretary of Stewardship, Lois Miller, secretary of Interpretation and Education of the Board of Missions, and Dr. S. G. Zeigler retired secretary of the Board of Missions were introduced.

The conference voted to establish all of the pews within the bounds of the first four windows of the church as the Bar of the Conference.

It was voted to accept the program as printed to be a guide for an agenda of this conference, recognizing that certain changes will be necessary.

The secretary appointed the Rev. Edward Ohms to be assistant secretary during this session.

Dr. William K. Messmer moved that the Rules of Order found on page 20 of the 1963 Journal become the Rules of Order for this session except that Rule No. 10 be omitted and Rule No. 11 become No. 10.

The report of the Conference Superintendent was read by Dr. Messmer. It was voted to accept this report and to refer its recommendations to the proper committees. (See Report No. 2)

The Bishop appointed the committees of the session as prepared by the conference staff. These committees are listed in the conference journal on pages 7 and 8. The Bishop also announced that alternates in attendance were expected to serve on committees in place of the delegates who may be absent.

Miscellaneous announcements were made concerning entertainment,

committee meetings and a meeting of all the ministers together with the Board of Pensions at 1:30 P.M.

Mr. Everett Petry of the Otterbein Press was introduced. He presented the Conference Bookkeeper, Mrs. Dorothy Miller, with two checks. One from the Board of Publications in the amount of $10,808.80, the other from the Printing Establishment in the amount of $3,768.65. He told of a gift for each member of the conference and of the book store which is in charge of Mrs. Edna Weidel.

We were adjourned following a prayer and blessing upon the noon meal which was voiced by Dr. O. T. Deever.

WEDNESDAY AFTERNOON SESSION

The organ prelude was entitled "Abendiled" by Robert Schuman.

We were led in the singing of the hymn "Rejoice Ye Pure In Heart."

The devotional period consisted of the reading of I Corinthians 13 by the Rev. Joel Baer and a prayer by Howard James.

Business Session

Rev. Charles C. Messmer presented the report of the Conference Director of Program. It was voted to accept the report as presented. (See Report No. 3)

Rev. Messmer presented a Special Resolution Regarding Camp Miami. The Conference referred this Resolution to the committee on Ways and Means.

The report of the Conference Director of Development was read by the Rev. Louis O. Odon. Rev. Odon also presented the report of the Parkside Parish and the final results of the M.A.P. campaign. The Conference voted to receive and approve the entire report. (See Report No. 4)

The Conference Secretary presented a summary of actions taken by the Conference Council of Administration. Items 20, 22 and items 1 c, d, of the 1964 actions were withdrawn from the report for future consideration. All other items in the report was approved. (See Report No. 5)

The Rev. Demi Edwards presented a report regarding a Group Insurance Medical Pay Plan which has been recommended by the Conference Board of Pensions. After considerable discussion which included a straw vote to indicate the interest of the ministers in this plan the Conference voted approval of the report and reference of item 7 to the Committee on Finance. (See Report No. 24)

Rev. Louis O. Odon read the report of actions taken by the Conference Board of Missions. The Conference voted to refer the item regarding study and survey of the Brown County Parish to the Committee on Boundary and voted to approve all other items in the report. (See Report No. 23)

The report of the Board of Ministerial Education and Relations was presented by Dr. Murn B. Klepinger. The report was received by vote of the Conference and referred to the Committee on Ministerial Educations and Relations. (See Report No. 22)

Dr. Carl B. Eschbach read the report of actions taken by the Conference Board of Trustees. The report was approved and the actions validated. (See Report No. 27)

The Conference received greetings from the Pacific Northwest Conference. (See Report No. 34) It was voted to send fraternal greetings to the Pacific Northwest and Northwest Canada Conferences.

The Rev. Ralph W. Tinsley, Conference Statistician read his report which was received with a vote of appreciation for his work. (See Report No. 20)

The report of the Conference Treasurer was presented by Mr. Wendell

A. Hohn. It was voted to approve the report subject to audit. (See Report No. 21)

The Rev. Harold Brown read the report of the committee on Audit. This report was approved. (See Report No. 7)

Bishop Herrick announced that the gavel he is using had been made by Mr. Yeazell of the Otterbein Home. The wood was secured from the timbers of the Good Samaritan Building when it was razed.

Dr. Messmer called attention to some additions and corrections in the list of Conference Committees. The name of Charles Loveless should be added to the committee on Ministerial Education and Relations and J. C. Herbert is the chairman of the calendar committee.

The Director of Program presented the recommendation of the Conference Program Council for items to be included in the program for 1965. Some items were included for 1964 and a few were projected into 1966. It was voted to approve this report and adopt the outlined program. (See Report No. 25)

Dr. William K. Messmer made a brief report concerning the Inner-Conference Council. He reported that we were entitled to one additional member on this council and that he was referring this item to the Committee on Nominations. He stated that the Inner-Conference Council is presenting a proposal to increase the Group Insurance Coverage from $5000 to $7500 on men under age 66. The Conference voted to authorize the Board of Pensions to prepare ballots on this item. These ballots will be collected after the voting, placed in a sealed envelope and held by the Bishop until all Conferences in Ohio have voted. The tabulation will be made on a state-wide basis. The Inner-Conference Council has also selected dates for the 1965 annual session in consultation with the Bishop. The dates suggested for the Ohio Miami Conference are June 8-10, 1965. The report of the Inner-Conference Council was approved as presented.

Dr. Messmer also presented a list of recommendations to the various committees of the Conference. He suggested that the time and place of the next annual session be added to the list of referrals to the committee on Ways and Means. (See Report No. 1)

There were announcements of committee meetings after which we were adjourned. The Rev. Joseph B. Hency, offered prayer and a blessing upon the evening meal.

WEDNESDAY EVENING SESSION

Charles C. Messmer, Presiding

The Rev. H. Eugene Risch played the prelude entitled "Preamble" by J. P. Rameau.

The service continued with an anthem of praise which was the beautiful selection "Worthy Is The Lamb" from the Messiah. This was in stereophonic sound.

Following a brief litany of devotion, members of the Youth Fellowship of the Fairview Church presented a worship-drama based upon the book of Revelation and entitled "I John." This worship-drama was under the direction of the Rev. Mervyn Matteson, Youth Minister of the Fairview Church. Participants in the worship-drama in addition to Rev. Matteson were Charla Cook, Janet Cook, Steve Dilts, Jack Farnlacher, Martin Haslanger, Kathryn Meyer, Martha Robinson, Robert Stokley, and Dale Van Kirk. The meaningful and searching drama concluded with the playing of "The Messiah", also in stereo-sound.

Rev. Messmer spoke the appreciation of the Conference for this fine worship-drama. He announced an offering for the benefit of the Conference Mission Program. The prayer of blessing upon the offering was given by Rev. Messmer.

Miss Lois Miller, secretary of Interpretation and Education and Dr. Nordan Murphy, Director of Christian Stewardship presented the denominational Program for 1965 which is based upon the theme Jesus Christ Renews His Church Through Lay Participation and Vocational Dedication. Following a brief statement by members of the team a visual presentation was given which offered suggestions to implement the theme in the work of the Church.

The Conference sang the hymn "O Master Let Me Walk With Thee" and engaged in a period of prayer directed by Nordan Murphy.

Rev. Charles C. Messmer pronounced the benediction.

THURSDAY MORNING SESSION

The meeting of the second day of the Annual Session began with the playing of "Prayer from 'Rienzi' " from the works of R. R. Wagner with the conference organist at the console of the Moler organ.

Bishop Herrick called the meeting to order and requested all delegates and ministers to be in their places.

Rev. Ater led in the singing of the hymn which begins "When Morning Gilds The Skies."

Devotional Period

The scripture lessson was read by Robert Anderson. It was taken from Matthew 7: 1-28.

Rev. William E. Hensley led in prayer.

A quartet sang "March On, O Soul, With Strength." Members of the quartet were the Revs. Wendell Freshley, Everett Aldstadt, Edwin Pellett and Milford Ater.

The Rev. John W. Armemtrout, pastor of the Ohmer Park Methodist Church, presented a helpful and stimulating devotional address based upon the theme "God Revealed In Christ". He said that he would like to leave Psalm 111:10 with us as a verse to remember.

Presentation on Church Union

Bishop Paul M. Herrick asked the tellers to distribute a booklet containing the report of the Commissions on Church Union of the Methodist and Evangelical United Brethren Churches.

The Bishop outlined the various steps which have been taken in this proposed union. He detailed the present status in both churches. He said that present plans call for a preparation of a Discipline for presentation to the E.U.B. General Conference in 1966 and a Special Session of the Methodist General Conference at the same time. If both groups act favorably it will be referred to the Annual Conference and if they vote favorably union may be effected in 1968.

He also reported that the recent General Conference voted to abolish the Central Jurisdiction by 1968 and reacted unfavorably to the proposed name, viz. United Methodist.

Following a period of General discussion, questions and comments by the members of Conference Dr. William K. Messmer was presented. He urged fellowship and dialogue among members and churches of our conference and Methodists.

Business Session

The Rev. James Frazier read the report of the Journal Review Committee. The Journal for Wednesday was approved. (See Report No. 13)

There were a number of changes reported in the Roll. Revs. E. H. Nichols and Demi Edwards were excused for the day. It was voted to send greetings to members who are ill or unable to attend, especially to superannuated ministers who are absent. Alternate delegates were seated by vote

of the Conference from the following churches and for the times indicated. State Road today only Elmer Briggs; Wayne Avenue Rest of Conference, Albert Schwartz; Clayton today only, H. Olinger; Normandy today only, Stanley Sheriff; New Hope N.W. today only, Edwin Mayer; Oak Street today only, Ann Friesner; Xenia today only, William Shaw.

A partial report of the committee on Ways and Means was read by Rev. Harry Deaven. This portion of the report listed churches which have not paid their Christian Service Fund quotas in full to date and arranged a schedule of meetings with the Ways and Means Committee.

Dr. Roy D. Miller presented a paper showing the dates when churches within the bounds of the Conference were organized. The list is incomplete. The historian requests additional information as may be available. He also announced a pilgrimage to the Five Mile Church on September 13, 1964. The report was received and the date was referred to the Calendar Committee. (See Report No. 19)

The report of the Nominating Committee was presented by Rev. Kyle Phipps. The recommendation to elect the Recording Secretary for the remainder of the quadrennium was approved. The recommendation to elect 5 members (3 staff and 2 others) to the Inner-Conference Council was approved. It was voted to amend the report by removing the name of Mrs. L. L. Huffman from the list of nominees for the Board of Missions since she is already a member and authorized the nominating committee to substitute another name for Mrs. Huffman. The report was also amended to authorize the nominating committee to substitute another name for Louis Ernst, who is ill and cannot serve, in the list of Church Extension Fund Members. The report as amended was approved and ballots ordered printed. (See Report No. 11)

We sang the hymn "My Heart Looks In Faith".

Dr. C. W. Fetter read the report of the Committee on Ministerial Relations. Items 4, 5, 6, and 11 were withheld for a ballot vote. The remainder of the report was approved by the Conference with active itinerant elders only voting. (See Report No. 9)

The Bishop called Mrs. Wyvonne Freeman, David McRoberts and Wendell Butt to the front of the nave where they were examined according to Paragraph 300 of the Discipline. The candidates answered all of the questions according to the prescribed form. Bishop Herrick led in a prayer asking God's blessing upon the candidates as they enter this ministry.

Mrs. Clyde Bielstein was introduced to the Conference. She read the report of the Women's Auxiliary of United Seminary. The report was approved. (See Report No. 30) and the name of Mrs. Bielstein was referred to the Committee on Resolutions.

Greetings from the Ohio Miami Branch W.S.W.S. were brought by Mrs. L. L. Huffman. The Conference voted to receive the Greeting and referred the name of Mrs. Huffman to the Committee on Resolutions. (See Report No. 32)

Dr. C. W. Winch, Superintendent of the Flat Rock Home was presented. He spoke concerning the Mid-West Homes of the Church. He urged support of the five homes and told of needs of Otterbein Home. He invited the members of the Conference to the Homecoming at Flat Rock on July 18, 1964. The name of Dr. Winch was referred to the Committee on Resolutions.

Announcements were made concerning Conference activities and the meeting of Boards, societies and committees during the noon hour.

The Conference referred the names of Miss Lois Miller, Dr. Nordan Murphy, the youth of the Fairview Church and all other participants in the service on Wednesday evening to the Committee on Resolutions.

We were adjourned with prayer voiced by Clarence Echhart delegate from the Greenbush Church.

THURSDAY AFTERNOON SESSION

Th Conference convened at 1:45 P.M. as Rev. Risch played a prelude by A. Von Flelitz entitled "Hymnus".

Rev. Ater led in singing the hymn "My Hope Is Built".

The Devotional Period consisted of a reading of a modern adaptation of the prophecy of Amos as it appeared in Youth Bible Studies of June 7th and originally written by Dr. Lynn Turner of Otterbein College. This was followed by the reading of Amos 5: 14-15. Rev. Earl Stockslager led in prayer. He prefaced his prayer by saying that we often spend a disproportioned amount of time on sermon preparation as contrasted with time spent in prayer.

The Tellers distributed copies of "United News" a publication concerning United Theological Seminary.

Bishop Herrick presented Dr. J. B. Behney, vice president of United Seminary who addressed the conference. He spoke of the work of the seminary, the need for living endowment, current theological needs and trends, especially regarding the tensions in modern life. It was voted to refer the name of Dr. Behney to the Committee on Resolutions.

The Tellers distributed the latest copies of the Mid-West Homes News and copies of a letter from the music committee of the Otterbein Home Church which invited choral groups and singers to come to the Home for services at the Church.

The election of Conference officers was conducted. It was voted that where applicable a plurality shall be sufficient for election.

Rev. A. C. Zagray of the Ohio East Conference was introduced and spoke concerning the Group Life Insurance Program of the Ohio Conferences. He distributed a sheet showing comparisons of premiums and benefits in this program during the past ten years (See Report No. 24B). He told of the proposal of the Inter-Conference Council to increase the coverage for men under 66 years of age to $7500 with amounts remaining the same. There was a motion that we endorse this proposal which will become effective on September 23, 1964 if a favorable vote results. The vote was taken by ballot. The ballot was sealed by the Tellers and will be counted when all of the Ohio Conferences have voted.

Rev. Allen Zagray, pastor of a mission church in Ohio East Conference and a son of A. C. Zagray was introduced.

A partial report of the Ways and Means Committee was presented by Rev. Harry Deaven. This item of the report concerns time and place of the next session of the annual conference. (See Report No. 18) A ballot was taken on this item.

There was a question concerning balloting on persons named in the report of the committee on Ministerial Education and Relations. It was voted to suspend the Rules and to vote on item 4 in the report by acclamation. The Conference voted to validate the licenses of the 11 persons named in item 4 of this report.

A ballot concerning items 5, 10, 11 of the report of the committee on Ministerial Education and Relations was taken.

Rev. Norman Snook, Director of Campus Ministry Ohio Universities, was introduced. He spoke concerning the work of the United Christian Campus Fellowship. He announced the showing of a moving picture concerning this work at 6:30 this evening. He also distributed a report of his work. (See Report No. 31)

Rev. Gary Olin, Ohio East, Wayne Barr, Professor at United Theological Seminary, Paul Bunnell who is serving a church in our conference and Mr. G. H. McConaughy, lay leader of the Central District were introduced.

Following announcements the Conference adjourned to meetings of the

ministers and of the laymen. Dr. Charles Lyon Seashoes, Pastor of the First Baptist Church, Dayton, Ohio addressed the ministers upon the subject "Keeping Intellectually Alive". The laymen met under the direction of Bishop Herrick, addresses were made to the laymen by G. H. McConaughy, Miss Lois Miller and Dale M. Phillipi. Their respective subjects were "Renewal of the Local Church Through Discoveries of Modern Research", "Renewal of the Local Church Through the Agencies of our General Church", "Renewal of the Local Church Through the Traditions of the Faith".

The closing prayer was offered by Dr. Frank Oldt, retired missionary and long-time member of the Ohio Miami Conference.

THURSDAY EVENING SESSION

The Service of Worship

The congregation assembled as Mrs. Edythe Livington organist of the Fairview Church, played "Meditation" by T. Bubeck.

Bishop Herrick led in the call to worship which is found in Paragraph 2260 being a part of the ordination service. The congregation sang the Gloria Patri.

We were directed in the Invocation by the Bishop and joined together in praying the Lord's Prayer.

We sang the devotional hymn "Come Thou Fount" under the direction of William Jefferis, choir master of the Fairview Church.

The scripture lesson was read by Dr. C. W. Fetter, chairman of the Board of Ministerial Education and Relations. It consisted of selected portions of Ephesians and Matthew. (Ephesians 3: 7-9; 4: 11-13 Matthew 28: 19-20)

Dr. Murn B. Klepinger, secretary of the Board of Ministerial Education and Relations, led in prayer with a response by the choir of the Fairview Church.

Dr. William K. Messmer spoke words of welcome to visitors at the Conference and announced an offering for the benefit of our conference missions and church extension. He also voiced the offertory prayer.

Mr. William Jefferies directed the choir of the Fairview Church in an anthem by Tschesnokoff entitled "Salvation Is Created."

Bishop Herrick presented Dr. Irvin Batdorf, Professor of New Testament and Interpretation at United Seminary who delivered the sermon of the evening using as his subject "Motivation for the Ministry." Dr. Batdorf reminded all of us of the importance of our task and the breadth of our opportunities.

The congregation sang the hymn "God of Grace and God of Glory".

Service of Recognition

Bishop Herrick presided at this service honoring Revs. William I. Comfort and Earl Stockslager who were voted superannuated relations by this session. The ritual found in paragraph 2276 was used. The Conference Superintendent and Conference Secretary participated as indicated in the ritual. A summary of the service record of these men is made a part of the proceedings of this session. (See Report No. 26) A certificate of recognition was presented to each of the retiring ministers.

The Bishop then presented certificates of Liscenture to Mrs. Wyvonne Freeman, Wendell Butt and Charles McRoberts.

Service of Ordination

The Bishop introduced the service of ordination for the Revs. Robert Anderson and Joel Baer. Following the ritual of the paragraph 2260 of the Discipline these young men were ordained as Elders of the Church. Rev. Demi Edwards participated in the "Laying on of hands" as Robert Anderson

was ordained and Dr. Murn B. Klepinger participated in similar manner at the ordinaton of Joel Baer.

The Bishop presented Rev. Lee Kreider his credentials as an Elder of the Evangelical United Brethren Church.

The choir of Fairview Church sang an arrangement of the familiar hymn "All Hail the Power of Jesus Name." This arrangement included accompaniment by organ, piano, tympani and trumpets. The congregation joined in singing the last verse of this anthem.

The Bishop pronounced the benediction. Participants in the service recessed to the church parlor where the men who were ordained received their friends.

FRIDAY MORNING SESSION

"The Prelude to the 'Deluge' " was the title of the organist's prelude for the final day of this session.

We were led in the singing of a hymn entitled "New Every Morning Is Thy Love."

Rev. Paul Chastain read the scripture lesson which was taken from Matthew 5: 1-16.

It was announced that Ruth Hendrix, wife of Dr. J. P. Hendrix is to undergo surgery this morning. Rev. Carl Hahn asked for a period of quiet meditation and prayer which was followed by audible prayer by Rev. Hahn.

A devotional address was delivered by Rev. Clifton Hatfield in which he asked two searching questions, (1) What are you doing? (2) What are we supposed to be doing? He closed by reading Isaac Watt's hymn "Come Holy Spirit."

Business Session

The report of the committee on review of the minutes was read by Rev. James Frazier. The report was adopted and the minutes approved. (See Report No. 13)

Dr. John Wilson, secretary of the Ohio Council of Churches was introduced.

The report of the Committee on Appropriations, Boundary and Finance was read by the Secretary. The report was adopted. (See Report No. 6)

The items in the report of the Council of Administration which were withdrawn from the report when it was adopted were presented and adopted by the Conference. These were items, c, d, e of section 1, 20 and 22 of the 1964 actions. (See Report No. 5)

A special resolution regarding socialization of the Group Hospital Payments was presented. The conference voted **not** to approve the resolution.

Rev. Walter Miranda read the report of the Committee on Moving arrangements for the Pastors. The report was adopted. (See Report No. 17)

Bishop Herrick read a telegram extending greetings from the Northwest Canada Conference. (See Report No. 34)

Rev. Dana Heaton read a report of the ballot taken in connection with the report of the Committee on Ministerial Education and Relations. All persons received a favorable vote. (See Report No. 16) The Tellers also reported the result of the ballot on place of the next annual session. (See Report No. 16A) The Tellers also reported the results of the ballot for conference officers. (The chair declared the persons receiving a plurality elected for the term designated. (See Report No. 11)

Dr. Fetter read a supplemental report of the Board of Ministerial Education and Relations. The report was adopted and referred to the committee on Ministerial Relations. (See Report No. 22)

A supplemental report of the committee on Ministerial Relations was read by Dr. Fetter. The report was adopted and a ballot of elders was ordered on the name of Thomas Boomershine to receive Probationers License. (See Report No. 9A)

Rev. Robert Eschbach moved that the Conference Council of Administration consider the possibility of holding the ordination service of the 1965 session in a church and if in the judgment of the Council this is feasible the Council be empowered to make the necessary arrangements.

The Tellers reported a unanimous ballot favorable to Thomas Boomershine being granted Probationers License. (See Report No. 16B)

The report of the Committee on Ways and Means was presented by Rev. Harry Deaven. A sub-committee of this committee also presented a report. Mr. Clyde Bielstein read this portion of the report. There was discussion upon the report which terminated at 11:30 for the order of the day. Action on the report will be taken at the afternoon session.

Order of the Day

Bishop Herrick introduced Dr. John Wilson who addressed the Conference concerning the work of the Ohio Council of Churches. He also presented a report of Council activities. (See Report No. 28)

Miscellaneous announcements were made. Mr. Petry spoke concerning the bookstore.

Rev. Glen C. Arnold a local minister of the Ohio Sandusky Conference who lives in Hamilton was introduced. Also, presented was Mrs. Arnold and Richard Arnold who is an alternate delegate from the Hamilton First Church.

Rev. Lee Kreider offered the closing prayer and asked the blessing upon the noon meal.

FRIDAY AFTERNOON SESSION

The organ prelude was the "Largo" from the new world symphony by A. Dvork.

Devotional Period

The members of the Conference joined in singing the hymn "Wonderful Words of Life".

Rev. Earl W. Toy read the scripture lesson from the New English Bible. He read Corinthians 4: 7-18.

Prayer was offered by Rev. Charles W. Peckham.

Business Session

Bishop Herrick made a statement regarding the churches which are in arrears on the payment of Conference obligations. He said that delegates represent their churches at the annual session and in turn represent the Conference in the local church between sessions. We are part of a team, we work and share together. He encouraged ministers and churches to do our best.

Rev. Gerald Fleming, Treasurer of the Board of Pensions, was introduced to the Conference.

Consideration of the report of the committee on Ways and Means was resumed. It was moved to amend item 2 on the section on the Ministry to read, that only those probationers presently serving churches in the Ohio Miami Conference shall be given the privilege of administering the sacraments and that no newly appointed probationers shall be given this privilege. This action shall not deny this privilege to persons who receive probationers license at this session who are already serving churches in the Conference. The amendment was voted. The report as amended was approved. (See Report No. 18)

Dr. Murn B. Klepinger made a statement regarding the Mutual Benefit Society. He urged ministers to join and presented certificates of membership

to newly enrolled members.

Dr. William K. Messmer presented a report from the District Leaders regarding programs at District Meetings. The report was approved. (See Report No. 12)

The Committee on Calendar presented its report. Rev. J. C. Herbert read the report which was approved. (See Report No. 8)

Dr. Arthur Schultz, Director of Church Relations, Otterbein College, was introduced. He has recently received his P.H.D. from Pittsburgh University majoring in Christian Education. He addressed the conference concerning Otterbein College. His name was referred to the Committee on Resolutions by vote of the Conference. (See Report No. 29)

The Conference Committee on Scholarship Aid presented its report. Rev. Owen Delp elaborated upon the work of this committee. The report was approved. (See Report No. 15)

Greetings were received from Mr. & Mrs. Hubert Fellers. (See Report No. 34)

Rev. Howard Hahn read the report of the Board of Pensions. Item 1 and 2 of the report were adopted. The section regarding Group Life Insurance premiums was approved. (See Report No. 24) Rev. Hahn made a statement regarding the new Group Health & Medical Insurance Policy and urged members to join.

The report of the committee on Resolutions was read by Rev. William Miller. The report was approved without reading and the secretary was granted authority to correct any omissions. (See Report No. 14)

The minutes of the session were approved without reading subject to editorial corrections.

The Final Roll call was taken. Every charge in the conference was represented at this session. Mrs. Orvall Bragg was seated from the Castine Church as the continuing delegate. Lawrence Todt of Hamilton Ninth Street was seated as the continuing delegate. In all other instances the regularly elected delegate was designated as the continuing delegate even though an alternate had been present for this session. The Roll as revised was approved.

Dr. William K. Messmer presented a Special Resolution regarding the Council of Administration. The Resolution was adopted. (See Report No. 33)

It was voted to authorize the printing of the Journal under the direction of the Recording Secretary.

The conference voted a special thanks to the pastors and people of the Fairview Church for their splendid hospitality to the Conference.

Bishop Herrick spoke of the 24 years of service Dr. William K. Messmer had given to Otterbein College as Trustee. The Conference applauded his work. Dr. Messmer spoke of his continued interest and concern for Otterbein College.

Dr. Stanley Forkner (Michigan Conference) former minister and native son of Ohio Miami Conference was introduced.

It was voted to adjourn the 155th session of the Ohio Miami Conference following the Benediction at the evening service.

The closing prayer was voiced by Dr. Forkner.

FRIDAY EVENING SESSION

The Rev. H. Eugene Risch gave the organ Prelude "Arioso" by George F. Handel.

Dr. William K. Messmer gave the Call to Worship from Psalms 27 and 100.

The Rev. Milford E. Ater led the congregation in the singing of the Hymn "Ye Servants of God."

Dr. Messmer made a statement expressing the Thanks of the Conference for the hospitality of Fairview Church, the leadership of Bishop Herrick, and the fine spirit of the Conference.

He acknowledged the presence in the congregation of the widows of two of our former bishops, Mrs. Fred L. Dennis and Mrs. L. L. Baughman.

He also called our attention to concern for several in special need, Mrs. J. P. Hendrix, Frank Robinson, Sr. father of Frank and Carl Robinson and Louis Ernst, a layman of the Wayne Avenue Church.

The Rev. John McRoberts read the scripture lesson, using parts of Matthew 16 and Ephesians 4.

The Rev. Carl Robinson led us in prayer.

Dr. Messmer expressed the purpose of the evening offering, the missionary enterprises of our conference and received the offering of the congregation.

Rev. Risch played "He Shall Feed His Flock" by Handel as the Organ Offertory.

The congregation sang the Doxology as the offering was brought forward and Dr. Messmer offered the Offertory Prayer.

The choir of Christ Church sang the Anthem "God of Our Fathers" by Muller, with Mr. Robert Becker, Director and Mrs. Dorothy Swartzel, Organist.

Bishop Paul M. Herrick preceeded his sermon by adding his words of appreciation to all who helped to make this session of conference so meaningful.

He spoke about the other conferences that he will conduct during the succeeding weeks. Also, he recounted some of his experiences as he conducted the Conference in Sierra Leone.

He preached the sermon upon the subject "A Minister by His Power" using these words of Paul in Ephesians "of the Gospel I was made a minister by the grace, by the working of His Power."

The concept of laymen of the work of the minister varies with many people. But he has a varied role, preacher, administrator, teacher, counselor. Paul conceives of his ministry as that of a servant of Christ to proclaim the Gospel—the good news which has many facets: (1) the character of God (2) God's concern for the world (3) The Gospel is Power (4) How do we receive this Power?

The Christ Church choir sang the anthem "Lead On O King Eternal" by Thompson.

Bishop Herrick prefaced the reading of assignments of pastors to charges, by explaining the action of General Conference, in making assignments of an indefinite tenure, subject to the reconsideration of Bishop, Superintendent, Minister or Pastor-Parish Relations Committee. By action of Conference only changes in assignments are to be read.

Bishop Herrick then read the list of changes in assignments and pronounced the benediction. (See Report No. 1)

H. E. Risch played as a postlude "The Heavens Are Telling" by Hayden.

EMERSON D. BRAGG, Secretary

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REPORT NO. 1

Changes in Assignment of Charges to Pastors

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Eldorado — Donald Pickens
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Lewisburg — Lester Grove

West Group
Hamilton First — Demi Edwards
Greenbush — Jerome Schultz
Jacksonburg — Kenneth Rippin
Millville — Paul Bunnell

Southwest Group
Batavia — To be assigned later.
College Hill — William Worth

Central Group
Belmont Assistant Pastor — Joel Baer
Fairview Minister to Youth — Mervyn Matteson
Oak Street — Gordon Core
Good Shepherd — Edward Ohms
Southern Hills — James Wagner

Northeast Group
Lockington-New Hope — Harry C. Sherry

Southeast Group
Union Plains-Browntown — Paul Westbrook
Mowrystown-Ketterman — Francis Huber
Bloom Rose — Carl Vorpe
Second Creek — Raymond Wiblin
Wrightsville-Liberty Chapel — Robert Stanley

REPORT NO. 2

Report of the Conference Superintendent

To our esteemed Bishop Paul M. Herrick, my brethren in the ministry, the lay members and friends of the 1964 Session of the Ohio Miami Conference: Greetings in the name of Jesus Christ, and welcome to this one hundred fifty-fifth session of our historic conference.

> "We are always thankful as we pray for you all, for we never forget that your faith has meant solid achievement, your love has meant hard work, and the hope that you have in our Lord Jesus Christ means sheer dogged endurance in the life that you live before God, the Father of us all." . . . "We do not aim to please men but to please God who knows us through and through." — I Thessalonians 1:2-4, 2:5

This is my fifteenth annual report and I cannot escape from the growing sense of inadequacy to do all things well. I am grateful that a forgiving Lord and patient brethren, both ministerial and lay, make this ministry in the least creditable. I continue to ask for your prayers and support in our common endeavor.

As we have grown to expect, Bishop Paul M. Herrick is continually interested in our task and gives frequent counsel and helpful understandings to our mutual responsibilities. We are grateful that during the year Bishop and Mrs. Herrick were given the opportunity to enlarge their knowledge of our denomination's overseas work, by a visit to Europe and to Sierra Leone, where he presided at the Annual Conference. He bore the greetings of our conference to these brethren in distant lands by action of our Council of Administration, and a number of greetings were received in return.

We are pleased to note that our losses by death took only one of our ministerial family, after several years of a large number of deaths. Mrs. Lewis G. Ludwick passed away after a prolonged illness in the Otterbein Home. She had been tenderly cared for by this institution in our behalf. She had served faithfully as the helpmate of Lewis G. Ludwick, whose passing after dedicated service in the ministry, we had noted in our session one year ago.

There were a number of changes in assignments made during the year which are reported here for our record: According to plan, Lee Kreider was assigned to the Springboro Church and W. J. Fox was released from the

interim appointment. Donald Heacock resigned the Greenbush Church to accept a pastorate in the Protestant Episcopal Church in Michigan. Jerome Schultz has accepted the church as a supply pastor. Charles H. A. Woods resigned the Millville Church when he completed his seminary course and returned to his home in Western Pennsylvania Conference. Paul Bunnell is serving this church in a yoked relationship with the nearby McGonigle Methodist Church. Robert Schurman was assigned to the Residence Park Church after his release from a pastorate in Dearborn, Michigan. Bruce Hilton who served as interim pastor was released. Myron Ketron resigned the Otterbein-Savona Churches to accept assignmeent in the Presbyterian Church. His charge has been assigned to James Melhorn, a seminary student from the Pennsylvania Conference.

Two of our young men are ready for ordination. They are Robert Anderson of Oak Street Church and Joel Baer of the Belmont Church. We welcome them into the family of the conference leadership.

Two of our brethren are requesting superannuated status: William I. Comfort, effective at this conference session, and Earl Stockslager, effective September 1, 1964. J. P. Hendrix, who has served as pastor at Lewisburg for this year, is returning to "active" retirement. Edgar Schrader, who has been superannuated because of ill health, should be continued in this classification.

Lee Kreider is seeking admission to our conference from membership in the United Missionary Church. James Wagner requests admission from Ohio Southeast Conference.

A transfer is requested by Myron Ketron to the Presbyterian Church and Donald Heacock requests to be dropped from the role of ministers. Carl Cotrone requests continuance in the itinerary without appointment, as does Carl Vorpe.

The following persons are eligible to receive their probationers' licenses. They are Tom Boomershine of Clayton Church, a student in Union Seminary, New York City; Wendell Butt of Union City Church, Miami University; Wyvonne Freeman of Liberty Chapel, Ohio University; Jack Loschert of Normandy Church, Ohio State University; and David McRoberts of Greenville Church, United Seminary, Dayton.

The probationer's licenses of the following should be validated; Kent Adams (Lagonda), Robert Bullock (Pleasant Ridge), Mike Christian (Greenville), Charles Mueller (Clifton), Gary Eubank (Arcanum), James Farrell (St. Marks), James Lakes (Jacksonburg), Judith Stone Olin (Residence Park), H. Eugene Risch (Mt. Airy), John L. Schaefer (Dayton First), and Paul Westbrook (Batavia).

There is no question but that the complement of ministerial leaders is and must be a primary concern of Ohio Miami Conference and its superintendent. I spend a great many hours in seeking to be acquainted with the problems and needs of our men. There is continual conversation and counsel with our student pastors. During this year I made a pastoral visit to more than 80 of our pastors, requiring the investment of a great amount of time and travel. While I failed to have a visit with 24 of our men in this more or less formal scheduled visit, I plan to continue this activity this summer. I regard this practice as very enjoyable and I hope helpful to our fellowship. It is true to say, however, that the demands of the ministry are extremely taxing and frustrating, and it is not surprising that some of the pressures of modern culture make their impression on us.

You will find that many persons dedicating themselves to Christian vocations find ever enlarging opportunities for service. In addition to the parish ministry, whch we understandably believe to be central, are chaplaincies of various kinds,—educational institutions, hospitals, institutions of correction, military services, ecumenical ministries including Christian education, research and administrative positions.

One of my colleagues has stated, "We live in a highly trained and educated, but undisciplined and self-willed, generation. Old bench marks are

being destroyed and time-tested mores are being challenged in this crisis of our age."

It would seem strange indeed if some of the symptoms did not manifest themselves within the church, among both clergy and laity. Numerous articles have appeared telling of ministers who are "cracking up" or are leaving the profession. Strong ministers, now broken in mind and health, are seeking ways of ministering outside the pressures of the parish.

Every member of this conference must be aware of the unrest which is a product of our generation, and build a supportive and healing fellowship within the church and within the circles of our clergy. This is not intended to justify inefficiency or lack of dedication and skill, but to rather plead for breadth of tolerance and understanding.

It is also obviously true that since so many opportunities for full-time Christian service are appearing, we will need to accelerate our search for young people who will expose their lives to the claims of Christ for His service.

Yet another condition seems to me to deserve comment. Among the more than one hundred men serving our churches, there is an amazing variety of talent. The men are, thankfully, different from each other. We don't want the pressures of conformity to fail to provide each man the opportunity to make his own unique contribution to the work of the church. It is true that each man must in turn be prophet, priest, shepherd and administrator. Some of us are better at one of these requirements than at the others. May I plead with the churches to let each man be himself, and at the same time, I plead with the men to develop some proficiency in all of these areas of service.

One of the aspects of our work which demands continual study and readjustment is the question of pastor's salary, housing arrangements, expense allowance, and other related remunerations. The conference has traditionally determined minimum goals for these questions. But there is need for a comprehensive study. I have, therefore, upon authority of the Conference Council of Administration appointed a committee to study pastor's salaries, expense allowances, housing and related items. The committee is G. H. McConaughy, Jack Davis, Jr., Gerald Geiger and John McRoberts. I recommend that the Ways and Means Committee authorize the Conference Council of Administration to receive this committee's report and adopt the salary standards by which we will operate for the year 1965. The present standards should be in force until the beginning of 1965.

The General Conference provided a new concept of tenure as follows: **Paragraph 120:** "The itinerant system shall be the method by which fields of labor are assigned to the ministers. All the assignments shall be of indefinite tenure. They shall be made by the bishop (in the absence of the bishop, by the chairman pro tempore) and the conference superintendent or superintendents, and may be reconsidered only as need may be indicated by any of the following: the bishop, conference superintendent or superintendents, the minister, or the pastor-parish relations committee of the local church. The annual conference shall be free to decide whether to read all assignments annually or only those which have been changed. All ministers and all fields of labor shall subscribe to and abide by the assignments."

I recommend that the Ways and Means Committee authorize the Committee on Assignments to read only **changes** in assignments.

The remainder of my report will deal with three areas of concern:

1. The world in which we labor,
2. The church and its readiness to meet the needs of our world, and
3. The mission of the church.

The World in Which We Labor

There are many attitudes and problems which characterize our world. I would like to mention three of these crisis issues of which we are all aware. They are the racial struggle, the military mood, and abysmal poverty, due in part to rapid growth of population.

The church through its entire history has struggled to maintain relevance to its society. It has not always done so. In the New Testament account of the Transfiguration is a perfect example. The companions of Jesus in that enthralling experience wanted to remain at that place and build shrines for all their religious experiences. "Lord," exclaimed Peter, "It is wonderful for us to be here. If you like I could put up three shelters, one each for you and Moses and Elijah." Jesus, however, rejected this and led his disciples to the needs of society and healed an epileptic boy.

In the Middle Ages the church took its faith into the monastery and rejected the claims of a needy world. There are many voices today who say the church must not engage in the controversies of the world. The church should not enter "politics" is the customary advice.

This is an attitude which the Christian Church cannot afford, either by the nature of its charter or the effectiveness of its witness to this and future generations. The civil rights struggle which is going on in our country today requires the participation of the church if we are to follow the instruction of our Lord. This bill, having to do with matters of elemental rights which most of us assume for ourselves as universal, is only a step toward the ultimate solution of our human problems, but it is an important step. It provides that in elections where Federal officers are to be elected, the Federal Government has a right to determine the rules for voting. It allows the Attorney General of the United States to protect individuals against the violation of these privileges. It further grants that all public accommodations such as hotels, restaurants and theaters may not be denied a person because of his race. It also provides that no person can be barred from facilities owned and operated by a state or local government. There is also a title which pursues the goal of school integration. Title V provides that Federal funds may be withheld from any program in which discrimination is practiced. Fair employment practices will try to reduce job discrimination. As a matter of fact, this is not the drastic law that its opponents claim it to be. Existing laws in Ohio and many other states are either identical or stronger than this Civil Rights Bill.

We live in a world where injustice is unacceptable, and where the Christian Church must aid in every legitimate way to eliminate it. It is extremely vital also that we act to build bridges across differences in the most common experiences of life both in the community and church.

Another fact about our world is its nearly total commitment to military solutions to international problems. There was once a time when the church spoke up for peace. We seem to have grown silent in these matters, and so, many nations of the world, including our own, spend more than half of their government resources on the instruments of destruction and the personnel related thereto.

There are voices being raised within government to question the validity of our substantial commitment to the military. We must be willing to assist such persons to a thorough examination of this issue.

Still another fact about the world in which the church carries on its ministry is the developing problem of class. There is no doubt that there is an increasing chasm between the poor and the well-to-do. Most of us are in the well-to-do category,—and it appears that we are not ministering to the poor of our parishes except those older people who may be both long time participants in our church life and also among the economically underprivileged.

Closely related to the problem of poverty is unemployment. We have

millions of people who do not know how to fill their lives with constructive activity. Idleness we have long understood to be bad for the individual, but an idle society will be positively explosive. We live in a modern industrial complex which seems only to produce materialism, and we are all motivated by the acquisition of things.

One might raise the question in this comment on the problems of our world society.—what about the question of sin? This is the arena of sin: human relations and materialism.

The Church and Its Readiness to Meet the Needs of our World

In this section of the report I would like to make some observations on our own situation. We have 113 active churches plus a yoked relationship with the Hillgrove Federated Church in Darke County and the McGonigle Methodist Church in Butler County.

During the year the Utica Church discontinued its services and the Five Mile Church decided to disband as an organized church. The membership has been dispersed according to the Discipline. The property at Five Mile is under the control of a committee including former trustees, neighbors of the church building, the Conference Board of Missions and the Historical Society. It is planned that the Five Mile building which is a genuine historic gem shall be maintained and occasional services held.

The conference should know that conversations are continuing in the following churches with respect to possible future realignments. In Springboro, our church and the Methodist church has each an active committee exploring union of these congregations. Nothing final is proposed.

I have made a recommendation to our Millville church to begin planning mutual activities with their Methodist neighbors, and hopefully some day this will result in one church. During the year I have met with the Willey Memorial Local Conference and discussed the future of our ministry in that community. No final decisions were sought or have been made, but it seems logical to suggest that they unite with one of our nearby churches in the near future.

Troy Street, Zion and Trinity Methodist churches are exploring their future ministries in the North Dayton Community. No recommendations are being made, but the conference should know of these discussions.

Under the new provision of the Discipline, Paragraph 41

> "When in the judgment of the bishop and conference superintendent(s) of an annual conference, a church ceases to render effective ministry or is an unnecessary duplication of ministry in the community, the superintendent is authorized to refer said church to the conference board of missions for study and analysis. Thereupon, the board of missions, after consultation with the respective church(es), shall make recommendation to the annual conference. The annual conference, or its council or administration, upon the recommendation of the board of missions, shall determine the continuance consolidation or discontinuance of said church or churches, according to the law of the state or of the province."

A recommendation of realignment in the Brown County Parish and the closing of the Bloom Rose Church will be made by the Board of Missions. This plan is made possible by the generous financial assistance from the United Church of Christ to help us render a more significant service in this parish. The assistance, amounting to $1000.00 per year is in fulfillment of the United Church of Christ's traditional ministry in this area. We are recommending making a two-point circuit out of Union Plains and Browntown with a parsonage relocated near the Union Plains Church. Ketterman will be attached to Mowrystown to become a two-point circuit.

It should be pointed out that members of the Board of Missions met with the Brown County Parish Local Conference and discussed this recom-

mendation. Members have been informed of the welcome they would receive from the Annual Conference should they desire to raise an objection to the plan. We readily admit that these processes of change cause pain and criticism, but one cannot evade the increasing problem of serving a circuit of four churches effectively.

One of the programs of the year which needs some comment and evaluation is the Central Area Crusade. Our churches (except most student pastorates) cooperated. To say that this venture produced overwhelming statistical success would not be true and we make no apologies for this. To have expected large scale growth as a result of a week's effort would be quite contrary to the realities of our generation. As I reflect upon the experience, I come up with these conclusions: First, it awakened many of our churches to the almost forgotten art of a concentrated period of evangelistic endeavor. Secondly, the modest commitment response indicated that we need to rely on many methods of evangelism. Preaching still has power to convince, but to this should be added adult and youth membership classes. The care and teaching of children is specifically the duty of the pastor.

Paragraph 230

"The minister shall organize into classes the children of The Evangelical United Brethren Church when they have reached the age of nine or ten years, and for a reasonable length of time meet with them at least once a week for pastoral instruction. He shall (1) instruct them in the doctrines of the Christian religion in the meaning of Christian life, in the history of the Christian church at large, and in the history, faith and order, life and practice of the Evangelical United Brethren Church; (2) encourage them to be regular in attendance upon the public worship services of The Evangelical United Brethren Church; (3) lead them into a personal acceptance of Jesus Christ as Savior and Lord; and (4) train them in the use of the means of grace in living the Christian life."

Paragraph 231

"When such children have given satisfactory evidence of understanding their Christian privileges and obligations, and of their Christian faith and purpose, they may be admitted into the membership of the Evangelical United Brethren Church, according to the form provided in the order and **Discipline** of the Evangelical United Brethren Church."

Another positive result of the Central Area Crusade is that the laymen of our churches have also been alerted to their part in the evangelistic outreach of the church.

In the realm of Evangelism I must share certain facts about our conference in the statistics of 1963. We received, as you will observe in the statisticiants report, 1091 by confession of faith, 368 by certificate of transfer, 450 by certificate of membership for a total gain of 1909. This compares with accessions of 1885 in 1962, and 1995 in the year 1961. As a matter of fact, our accessions have been relatively similar in recent years, but our losses are such as to leave us with a slight net loss each time. The year 1963 had a net loss of 83.

I do not desire to dwell on statistics. I am sure that the experiences of our churches is quite in line with the record of our sister churches. As a matter of fact, one of the reports to the Southern Baptist Convention which met recently in Atlantic City was that the increases which they have experienced in recent years has substantially subsided. I cite this not to make us feel comfortable by comparison, but to recognize that the struggle for statical success may have run its course. The requirements thereby are to search for other ways to make our witness vital.

It is increasingly apparent that the ministry of the church must be extremely flexible to meet the needs of our society. We often modified our practices to accommodate our culture, but I think we must be much more

dynamic in our witness to the Christian Faith than we have been in recent years. Any institution has difficulty becoming adjusted to the changing needs of society, but this we must do.

In examining the record of Stewardship for 1963 it must be noted that we failed to fulfill in reaching our quotas. We did not pay our obligations to the denomination in the M.A.P. program. While our churches did not pay the Christian Service Fund in full. We paid our general causes payments by saving expenditures in other items of the budget. Other quotas such as Camp Miami, Youth Fellowship and EUB men were not paid in full.

You will also discover in the volume of reports which were sent to you prior to conference that a number of churches are seriously in arrears. It is definitely not possible to fulfill our conference obligations to the General Church and the various agencies supported by our budget unless the churches make a better effort to meet their obligations.

During the year at one of our smaller churches I was called to task for the fact that they with some effort paid all their obligations in full. "Why," they asked, "do not all the churches do the same?" These matters cannot be lightly regarded by either pastor or lay member. I am therefore supplying the conference with the names of churches in arrears more than one month on current 1964 Christian Service Fund quotas. The pastors and lay members are requested to meet with Bishop Herrick and members of the Committee on Ways and Means to discuss this shortage. Churches neglecting Preacher Pension payments are also expected to be present for this consultation. We propose to offer the assistance of some of our pastors experienced in Stewardship to at least twenty of our churches where the stewardship program is not very carefully developed.

The new structure adopted by the 1962 General Conference has been adopted by our churches and is operative. The new structure provides many choices for the church in the selection of the amount of organization to be utilized. This fact will take some experimentation and I encourage this. We do not want our churches to organize on a minimal basis to avoid program, but we do not encourage more organization than can be effective.

The new structure in my opinion is sound in concept. I have noted the appearance of new persons on the local conferences in a great many of the churches. This is encouraging and I would urge pastors to use the new structure to enlarge the leadership of the local church. We hope as an Annual Conference Program Council to make further progress in the use of the new structure to communicate program materials to the local church. Some plans are to be announced in our 1964-1965 calendar.

There is little doubt that one of the vital issues confronting our people is the proposal of merger with the Methodist Church. I do not wish to write of the many ramifications of this in this report. However, I would like to insist that our people should be informed as the plans progress. There is an increasing volume of information on the question and intelligent discussion is exceedingly important. The question will receive its next consideration in the session of the Evangelical United Brethren General Conference and in a special session of the Methodist General Conference in 1966. Meanwhile, inform yourselves as factually as possible about the developing plans.

The Mission of the Church

My last section will be on the Mission of the Church—or some suggestions of attitudes and purposes for the immediate future.

In a new adaptation of the original "Meaning of Prayer", "Meaning of Faith", and "Meaning of Service" by Harry Emerson Fosdick, called "The Meaning of Being a Christian", are these words: "Having a Saviour who gives purpose and direction to our daily living is the glory of the Christian Life. Committing our lives and all the activity of our lives to such a Saviour is the real meaning of being a Christian. Such a commitment is born in faith, nourished in prayer, expressed in service." To put it quite briefly,—

the mission of the church is to be the body of Christ in our contemporary world, and to be under the direction of the Holy Spirit in its action.

I believe some quite specific tasks and attitudes are required. For example with regard to the struggle for Civil Rights,—there are attitudes among us which need careful examination. You will hear people say, "I was all for granting civil rights to the Negro but now he is too agressive. I cannot accept, for example, the civil disobedience." Listen to the convincing arguments offered by Martin Luther King in his **Letter from the Birmingham Jail:**

> "I submit that an individual who breaks a law that conscience tells him is unjust, and willingly accepts the penalty by staying in jail to arouse the conscience of the community over its injustice, is in reality expressing the very highest respect for law.
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> "Of course, there is nothing new about this kind of civil disobedience. It was seen sublimely in the refusal of Shadrach, Meschach, and Abednego to obey the laws of Nebuchadnezzar because a higher moral law was involved. It was practiced superbly by the early Christians who were willing to face hungry lions and the excruciating pain of chopping blocks, before submitting to certain unjust laws of the Roman Empire. To a degree academic freedom is a reality today because Socrates practiced civil disobedience.
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> . . . . "We can never forget that everything Hitler did in Germany was 'legal' and everything the Hungarian freedom fighters did in Hungary was 'illegal'. It was 'illegal' to aid and comfort a Jew in Hitler's Germany. But I am sure that, if I had lived in Germany during that time, I would have aided and comforted my Jewish brothers even though it was illegal. If I lived in a Communist country today where certain principles dear to the Christian faith are suppressed, I believe I would openly advocate disobeying these anti-religious laws."

The truth is that our nation has exhausted every right to further delay. "We believe that the Church of Jesus Christ is commanded by its Lord to rid itself of all those forms of racial injustice which have been perpetuated through the years by us in all our churches, church organizations, agencies and institutions. The mission of the church is clear."

With regard to the question of our relations to the community of nations, its seems perfectly clear to me that the best possible hope for a world of peace is the United Nations. Contemplate the alternates to this if you want to be frightened, and yet there are those who want to destroy this body. Not only is the United Nations an instrument, its imperfections granted, to romote and preserve peace, but the following list of its related services to the human family are impressive and seem to me to be closely affiliated with the mission of the church.

1. United Nations International Children's Emergency Fund—UNICEF
2. World Health Organization—WHC
3. United Nations Educational, Scientific and Cultural Organization—UNESCO
4. International Labor Organization—ILO
5. An African Development Bank
6. Food and Agricultural Organization—FAO, etc.

The church's mission is also, in my view, closely related to what happens to men and women in this age of rapid social and economic change. Among sweeping revolutions which are involving our people, perhaps none is more important than their problems in the discovery of creative work and proper use of leisure. I am quoting an answer which Walter Reuther made to the following question: **"If we assume that automation is here to stay, how can man satisfy his creative desires?"**

> "I believe that as automation denies a worker a sense of creativeness, the need for it must be satified during the leisure hours away from

the job. I think that labor, management, educators, religious groups, must develop programs that will stimulate new interests. We cannot rely upon the forces of the market-place to meet this basic need. It would be a great human tragedy if the leisure made possible by our technology only created a cultural vacuum to be filled by mediocre television programs. We ought to use our new abundance to satisfy the basic needs of our society for better schools, housing, hospitals, and community facilities.

"Ultimately we will reach the point where a reduction in the work-week will be economically feasible and socially desirable. We must plan ahead for that day. We have reached the point in human history where culture, which is the product of human leisure, can be within the reach of everyone. The real choice before us, then, is whether we want to place greater and greater emphasis on improving material comforts or whether greater attention should be given to the cultural aspects of our civilization. In the early period when living standards were obviously too low, prime consideration had to be given to raising material standards. At the point in history, however, where the choice becomes a matter of more gadgets for the outer man or the opportunities for cultural growth of the inner man, I would hope that the inner man would not continue to be neglected. If the contest between the free world and the Soviet Union is to be a sheer contest of who can turn out the greater volume of wealth, then I think we will have lost the basic struggle before it starts, for the purpose of civilization is not only to meet the needs of the outer man, but to create an environment in which the inner man can reach his highest growth."

As I conclude this section of my report I can hear someone charge that I have left too much unsaid about the mission of the church, particularly about personal salvation. This however as I have said implies at the outset commitment to Christ and His purposes. And if such be the case, these and many other great issues will find us seeking the Master's will.

Personal

I have followed a different format for my report. I have left many things unsaid. Some of these items will be reported by my colleagues and Boards and Committees.

I conclude with a willing admission of my own debt to many people if our common endeavor is at all acceptable. I appreciate the team spirit and support in the work of my companions on the conference staff, Charles Messmer and Louis O. Odon. They are both pleasant and effective assistants in the conference program leadership. I am grateful to our office staff for their labors, and best of all that spirit of fellowship which makes the most arduous task lighter. This thanks includes Mrs. Shirlev Grove, Mrs. Dorothy Miller, and during several weeks of the year, Mrs. Edith Bickel and other part time employees. Words fail me to say proper thanks to all the persons who labor in behalf of our conference program. During this year there have been an abundance of meetings instituting the new structure. I wish to express my thanks to my wife, Mary, for her patience and love, particularly when the pressures of the task made me less than the congenial young fellow she married thirty years ago.

Respectfully submitted,
WILLIAM K. MESSMER

Recommendations to the Committees by the Conference Superintendent

I Ways and Means

1. Reauthorize the Camp Miami Improvement Fund on the basis of Sunday School Average attendance.
2. Authorize the support of Men's Day Offering, College Day Offering and method of support for Scholarship Aid.

3. Reexamine for any needed changes in the Standing Resolutions of the Conference. Item 11 Rules of order—Page 20—1963 Journal.
4. Review the section of the 1963 Journal concerning standards for the ministry and reenact the items for 1965.
5. Review the question of minimum salary and related matters. Recommend the process by which the report of the special Salary Study Committee shall become the rule for 1965.
6. Review the 1963 report on Church Administration and bring up-to-date. Eliminate items which are adequately covered in the 1963 Discipline. For example, items 2, 13, 14, 15.
7. Recommend the policy of the conference with respect to paragraph 120.

II Nominations

Prepare nominations for following offices: See Journal for incumbent.

1. Conference Secretary

   The committee should submit to the conference consideration of paragraph 90. Whether or not to elect a secretary annually or quadrennially.
2. Conference Trustees
3. Trustees of Otterbein College
4. Fill a vacancy on Board of Missions to fill unexpired term of Mrs. Warren Hartman. (resigned) She is going with her husband for a years study and will be unable to participate.
5. Temperance League Trustees
6. Judicial Committee
7. Members of the Ohio Council of Churches
   - 3 Ministers
   - 2 Laymen
   - 2 Laywomen
8. Committee member of transportation
9. Representative to W.S.W.S. Branch Convention.
10. Inter Conference Council Representatives. We are to have five representatives including the Conference Superintendent. I recommend that our representatives be the Conference Staff plus two persons elected by the conference annually.
11. Representatives on State Student Work Board. We have 5 persons, the Conference Superintendent, the Director of Christian Education, the Secretary of Campus Christian Ministry, plus two lay persons elected annually.
12. The Ohio Miami Conference Church Extension Fund Committee.

III The Resolutions Committee

The Committee should prepare a report covering our proper thanks to all persons who have assisted us in the work of the annual conference.

IV Review of the Daily Journal

To review the daily record in behalf of the annual conference to assure an accurate set of minutes.

V The Calendar Committee

The duties of this committee is to gather the various dates for activities during the coming year and recommend the preparation of a calendar.

REPORT NO. 3

Report of the Director of Program

To our esteemed Bishop Paul M. Herrick, respected colleagues, Superintendent William Messmer, Louis O. Odon, members and friends of the Ohio Miami Conference—Greetings! It is with a deep sense of humility that I begin this my ninth report as Director of Program. The tasks that are yet unfinished are mountainous and my own abilities seem dwarfed by their magnitude. However, with the help of God, some of the tasks can be begun and a few completed.

It is a rare treat for me to be a participant in the sessions of Conference without the responsibilities of being the host, in which role I served for ten sessions.

The new structure of the church and the Conference organizations bring many new dimensions to my task as Director of Program. It is my hope that we can provide the patterns and the motivation for an ever developing, more effective local church program. All of us who have administrative and promotional responsibilities are reminded again and again of the devotion, loyalty, and dedication of countless number of our laymen and ministers. For this kind of devotion to duty we are extremely grateful. It is well for us to be mindful however, of the many uncompleted tasks and the necessity for the diligent re-examination of our goals and objectives so that the mission of the church may be carried forward. There are some very specific areas of responsibility that are necessay for me to report so that you may evaluate the stewardship of my life.

DIRECTOR OF CHRISTIAN EDUCATION—As the Director of Christian Education, it has been my privilege to consult with some local churches on their general program of Christian Education (special attention to the Sunday Church School was given). More opportunities of this nature are constantly sought. This phase of my responsibilities brings me into relationship with our denominational board and the divisions of Christian Education of both the Ohio Council and the National Council of Churches.

DIRECTOR OF CAMPING—As Director of Camping, I am brought into immediate contact with the campers who come to us from our local churches. This contact provides one of the genuine satisfactions of the job and makes much of the work meaningful. We have had a fine group of participants, both campers and leaders, in the several phases of our program.

1963 CAMP ATTENDANCE

6 Junior Camps	602	
5 Intermediate Camps	211	
Senior Camp	117	
Kampference	97	
Music Camp	52	
Freshman Tent Camp	24	
5 Laymen Family Camps	591	
Ministers Family Camp	76	(full time)
	70	(part time)

1964 CAMP SCHEDULE

JUNIOR CAMPS
A—June 22-27
B—June 28-July 3
C—July 13-18
D—July 27-Aug. 1
E—Aug. 2-7
JUNIOR HIGH CAMPS
A—July 6-11
B—July 13-18 (Tent)
C—July 20-25
D—July 20-25 (Tent)
E—July 27-Aug. 1 (Tent)
SENIOR HIGH CAMPS
Senior Camp—June 15-20
Senior (Tent)—July 27-Aug. 1
Fresh.-Soph. (Tent)—July 20-25
Music Camp—Aug. 9-13
Kampference—Aug. 18-21
OYYA—Aug. 7-9
FAMILY CAMPS
A—July 3-5
B—Aug. 7-9
C—Aug. 14-16
D—Aug. 21-23
E—Aug. 28-30
F—Sept. 4-7
Tent—July 17-19
Minister's—Aug. 16-18
Golden Agers—Sept. 9-11

The proposed schedule for 1965 is to be found in the Program Council report. Even though our record is good, it still has much room for improvement. 92 churches had campers, but 26 churches did not have a single camper. The "off season" use of the camp facilities is growing apace and an increasing number of our churches are having family camps, planning retreats, and youth fellowship retreats. Most week-ends of the fall, winter, and spring find the main building in use and often there is a group making use of the farm house on the Stiver Road end of our property.

OPERATIONS—Being in charge of the operations and serving as treasurer of the operating fund places considerable responsibility upon your Director and, as the treasurer's report will reveal, this is becoming a very sizeable operation. You are encouraged to take a careful look at the report of the operating fund. You will note that the total receipts have increased and that by careful management we were able to transfer $4,000.00 to the improvement fund. A continuation of careful operations is extremely important as we constantly feel the cost-price squeeze that most small businesses feel.

TREASURER REPORT

Camp Miami Operations

For Year Ended December 31, 1963

RECAPITULATION

Cash in Bank—Jan. 1, 1963		$ 3,274.66
Total Receipts (Schedule I)	$54,214.14	
Total Disbursements (Schedule II)	55.027.32	
Net Excess of Disbursements		813.18
Cash Balance—December 31, 1963		2,461.48

Schedule I—Receipts

Camper Fees		38,890.88
Supplies Sold		4,965.33
Utilities		731.77
Store	3,252.30	
Store "S"	1,760.67	
Store "SP"	614.32	5,627.29
Gifts		1.092.29
Profit on YF Ham Supper		225.00
Rent		200.00
Swimming Pool Admissions		511.65
World Service Offerings		305.68
Offerings for Operating		259.24
Insurance		64.80

Gas Tax Refund		14.00	
Meals		762.93	
Milk Program		535.68	
Camper Insurance		27.60	54,214.14

Schedule II—Disbursements

Salaries (Service Personnel)		11,324.83	
Repairs		1,536.63	
Food		15,420.50	
Real Estate Taxes		774.54	
Supplies		3.259.99	
Printing and Postage		290.54	
Store	1,956.25		
Store "S"	1,356.25		
Store "SP"	259.68	3,572.33	
Travel		1,034.72	
Craft		55.62	
Insurance		1,377.80	
Meals		214.64	
Sales Tax		174.84	
Industrial Commission		94.47	
New Equipment		1,741.52	
Utilities		3.191.92	
Swimming Pool Operations		875.39	
Camper Insurance		995.00	
Program Honoraria		3,055.00	
Withholding Tax			
Total Paid	874.98	97.01	
Less withholdings	777.97		
Social Security			
Total Paid	820.05	394.49	
Less withholdings	425.56		
Camper Books		911.79	
World Service Funds		200.00	
Profit on Ham Supper		225.00	
Bank Service Charges		8.75	
To establish Petty Cash Fund		200.00	51,027.32
Transfer to Improvement Funds			4,000.00
Total Disbursements			55,027.32

Numerous groups within the Conference have been giving special gifts for the refurnishing of bedrooms. These groups are: Women's Federations from the West District, Central District, Northwest District, Northeast District, Southwest District, Adult C.E. from Oak St. Church, and the Cooperators Class from Belmont Church. This project is being carried out on a strictly voluntary basis and will move forward as rapidly as possible. Two rooms are refurnished and ten more rooms of furniture are on order. More information concerning this project is available through the Director.

IMPROVEMENT FUND—The management of the Improvement Fund and plans for development also rest upon your Director and his committee, as well as the Board of Christian Education.

The major project carried out during this year served to increase our indebtedness, but also enhanced the facilities. This project was the installation of a new heating system which will result in more flexible winter use of our property. The cost was $25,000.

The long range conservation plan for our camp ground calls for the planting of trees. This spring we planted 18,000 trees as one step in carrying out this plan.

The technical plans and the engineering for the building of 3.1 acre pond are complete and we are awaiting favorable conditions (financial and otherwise) in order to carry these projected plans.

The indebtedness for land purchased in 1962 and the installation of the heating system can be liquidated by the continuation of the churches support of the Camp Miami Improvement Fund. This matter will be presented to you in the form of a special resolution. The debt now stands at $69,000.00.

Even in the face of our current obligations for debt reduction, we cannot long avoid beginning several other greatly needed projects. These include the absolute necessity of improved bathroom facilities, much needed refurbishing or building of a new kitchen, the desirability of more dining room—multipurpose space, the usefulness of a ground level auditorium-chapel, and the building of a retreat center. While all of these plans are in our hopes and aspirations, it is, of course, necessary and wise to continue the maintenance and refurbishing of existing facilities. This, I might add, has continued all through the years of my directorship.

Careful thought is being given to the long range plans for the development and use of our facilities and we welcome thoughtful criticism from our own people. The camp facilities must be thought about as an extension of the program and property of each of our local churches. A survey was circulated among our pastors to discover "growing edges" of our programs and facilities. Please look carefully at the Conference Treasurer's Report for detailed use of the Improvement Fund.

BOARD OF CHRISTIAN EDUCATION AND PROGRAM COUNCIL—

Many persons give large blocks of time to carry out the work of Christian Education and program of our Conference. Not the least among these special functions is the summer activities program. If we are to help build a more effective local church program, we will need the continual support of prayers and cooperation of all our people.

APPRECIATION—I would not be true to my own feelings if I did not express my sincere appreciation to many, many persons who make my work possible and necessary.

I'd like, first of all, to thank the Conference for the action taken last session to elect me to the unprecedented third term. I hope that in some small way I may live up to your hopes in me. Also, it is with a great deal of appreciation that I view the courageous and unselfish life of our Superintendent, the diligence of our Director of Development, and the dedication of our Bishop.

In addition, my genuine appreciation for my colleagues on the staff. I would like to express my thanks to ministers and lay people of the Conference who work at the many tasks given over to them. We appreciate the gifts of personal time, prayer, and financial aid to carry out our program that comes from them.

I'd like also to express my thanks to persons who work at the camp—my secretary, Mrs. Paul Arnold, our caretaker and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Hook, and Mrs. Everett Longman and her staff of workers. These are the persons who really make the place of service to all of you. I am also deeply appreciative of the love and support of my wife, Kathleen, and my family. Without them all of this would not be possible.

I pray for continuing strength from God, a task to do and the will to do this work with His help.

Respectfully submitted,

CHARLES C. MESSMER
Director of Program

REPORT NO. 4

Report of the Director of Development

To Bishop Paul M. Herrick, Superintendent William K. Messmer, Director of Program Charles C. Messmer, Ministerial and Lay Members of Ohio Miami Conference, Guests and Friends of the Church:

I come to you with my report in a deep sense of gratitude that recognizes the fact that you are a wonderful group of people to work with. I greatly appreciate the cooperation of each one that I have had the privilege to work with in the promotion of the Mission & Building Program of our conference. Grandiose evidence can not always be seen, but the change that takes place in people's hearts is what matters.

With the assignment of a full time pastor to the Aley Church last Conference Session this church became a Conference Mission and the first order of business was the purchase of a parsonage. The conference purchased this house at 444 Shady Lane, Knollwood, with a nominal downpayment, and the pastor has had a very comfortable house to live in. The work in this parish has made a great deal of progress. The Church that felt so hopeless in debt has paid up all past operating indebtedness and is operating on a pay-as-you-go basis. Twenty new members have been received this year and the attendance has reached a new high in Sunday School and Worship Service. With the coming of the new state university into the area this Church will have a fertile field for continued growth.

The work at our newest mission, 2 years old, Community Church proceeded in an orderly fashion. At present their membership is 24 and the average attendance at Sunday School is 45 and at the Worship Service is 39. They participated in the 4-C Mission in March, Rev. Murn Klepinger being the Missioner. This coming year should enable this congregation to show considerable membership growth in anticipation of a church building.

At Springboro our congregation purchased a new parsonage for the pastor and his family, and the interior of the Church sanctuary was redecorated, creating a wholesome atmosphere. This congregation is on good speaking terms with their Methodist neighbors looking forward to the day when these two congregations could unite and build a new church plant in the town of Springboro.

At Residence Park the parsonage had its size increased by the addition of an extra bedroom. The labor was donated by some of the hard working laymen and the materials were purchased by the conference.

At Piqua Church the need has long existed for additional Christian Education space and so a different house was purchased and remodeled for parsonage purposes in order that the old parsonage could be used for temporary class rooms. This new parsonage enables Piqua Church to come up into the better parsonage classification. Piqua Church also had a new roof installed on the church plant.

Our first church dedication for the conference year took place on June 9, 1963, when the Vandalia Church was dedicated. This majestic church facility on its prominent corner at the crossroads of America is a witness to what can be done by hard work, great faith, and good financial planning.

Next in line was the ground-breaking for the Fort McKinley Education Building on June 16, 1963. This building will soon be completed and ready for dedication. Its majestic lines can readily be seen from Salem and Seibenthaler, and will provide room for Christian Education and Fellowship.

Jacksonburg Church launched out into their ambitious building program with ground-breaking on September 15, 1963, and now have a great deal to show for their efforts. The old sanctuary has been remodeled into a very worshipful sanctuary. The new unit contains a fellowship hall and kitchen, children's classrooms, a church office, adequate rest rooms and a hot water heating plant for the entire plant. The nominal cost for all of this is in the area of $70,000.00 and provides adequate facilities for sometime to come.

Beardshear Church completed their building program with dedication on November 17, 1963, and since that time have revealed phenomenal growth attendance wise, with evidence of becoming a strong church in the near future.

Cheviot after many delays, broke ground for their new $400,000.00 church plant on September 29, 1963, and hope to have portions of it completed in the near future. A great future lies ahead for this church as they attempt to minister to the new community they will be part of.

New Haven dedicated their new education unit and fellowship hall on October 13, 1963, which provides wonderful facilities for this fine congregation.

Dayton First Church dedicated unit #3 of their church plant on January 26, 1964. Along with additional education space this unit contains the beautiful Euclid Chapel and Church Parlor.

Cherry Grove lanuched out on a ambitious program for future development by purchasing a 5½ acre site on Eight Mile Road as a home for their new church.

Belmont Church purchased the house adjacent to their church on Bellaire Avenue, and after a complete redecorating job plan to use it as a home for their assistant pastor.

Beavertown Church purchased an additional property north of the parsonage on Wilmington Pike. They are looking forward to its utilization in their new church development in the near future.

Considerable time was spent in the study of the Brown County Parish. Our denominational Church Self Study Guide was used, and while not completed to satisfaction, it served to reveal the trend of thinking in the area of the parish.

Also, an unresolved study of the Springfield area was conducted to ascertain the wisdom of beginning a new mission there.

For a period of 14 days, from November 3 to 17, 1963 we had the privilege to have with us Miss Doris Schneider of our Division of World Missions, working in Japan as a missionary. The commission on World and Home Missions planned a satisfactory itinerary for her, which enabled her to speak in all of the conference areas except the Central Area. Her work was greatly appreciated. Another missionary tour of this type is being planned for November, 1965

A number of the churches of the conference are accepting the challenge of giving extra missionary support, over and above their Christian Service Fund. The following churches doing this have been reported to me by the Board of Missions: Brookville, Farmersville, Hamilton First, Clough, Beavertown, Dayton Fairview, Dayton First, Wayne Avenue, Clayton, Ithaca, Liberty, Germantown and the Ohio Miami Branch of the W.S.W.S. Dayton First Church also underwrites the cost of the Parkside Homes Mission and supplies the needed personnel to do the work. A report of their activities follows my report.

The Conference Church Extension Fund falls under my jurisdiction and under Treasurer's reports in the reports of the officers, boards and agencies, you will find a report of the Extension Fund as of December 31, 1963. Loans from this fund have been made to 47 churches and the fund is operating in a healthy condition. I may be accused by some of being a financial Simon Legree, but the record proves the wisdom of good financial housekeeping.

The pulpit ministry keeps my Sundays well filled. Along with the groundbreaking services and dedication festivities, I have been W.S.W.S. Day preacher, 4-C Missioner and a filler of pulpits for various special occasions. It was my privilege to fill the pulpit at Christ Church during the illness of the pastor in February, March and April of this year.

I attended the meetings of the Board of Missions of our denomination,

the meeting of the National Council of Churches, the Pastor's Conference, all of the district and other meetings of the conference. I serve as chairman of the Finance Committee of the Regional Survey Board of Southwestern Ohio. Also, I have been privileged to serve on various committees dealing with Methodist and E.U.B. Negotiations and other inter-denomination work.

At a recent conference council meeting I was elected chairman of the commission on communications which takes in the category of conference papers, newspaper ads, radio and T.V. announcements, audio visuals, etc. Committees for each of these categories have been appointed and you will hear of their work in due time.

What of the Future? New churches must find birth and old churches must find rebirth, and the $64.00 question is how?

In many cases we can help our older churches into newness of life through the revitalization of a new building, a rebuilding program or a relocation program. The building is only an outward shell; the spirit of achievement must find birth in the hearts of the people before it will bring forth a suitable building program.

The population change in the territory of the Ohio Miami Conference has brought a lot of people into our midst that do not know how to pronounce our name, and therefore, our Church is alien to them. The 4-C Evangelism Program pointed out to us that our people value the person-to-person contact that was used, and realize that new people can be won for the church through the vitalization of our message. Therefore, building on that technique we must evangelize by whatever method and means is most suitable for our particular situation, in the hope that we may win those outside the church into the Fellowship. Our church must once again face up to the fact that people can be loved into the Kingdom of Christ by those who are truly interested in its future. Doing this we shall overcome the spirit of defeatism prevalent in some minds, and make the necessary financial sacrifices to pay the way for new churches to be born. It costs money to raise a child from the maternity ward to maturity, and we need to think of our mission churches in the same way.

Some mature quite rapidly, and others take a lot longer to reach self support status. We as the parents of such churches must pay the price of parenthood, in the spirit of love and devotion.

I don't suppose I can ever quit sermonizing, and so my outline would be: Have Faith in God, Quit Complaining, Do a lot of Praying, Go armed with the spirit of Christ, Overflow with enthusiasm to win.

I close with a word of appreciation to our good Bishop Paul M. Herrick, who is always ready to encourage his co-workers along the path of duty. To Superintendent William K. Messmer for the privilege of working with him, to Charles C. Messmer, for his spirit of optimism, his ready jokes and spirit of cooperation, to Mrs. Rodney Miller, our bookkeeper and Mrs. Edith Bickel her able substitute who do such a fine job of keeping the Extension Fund accounts straight, to Shirley Grove our office secretary for her willingness to put up with me when I get tired and grumpy. To the members of the Board of Missions for their willingness to attend the many meetings needed to solve the problems of our department. And last but not least to my wife Dorothy who still likes to travel with me and fellowship with other pastor's wives when given the opportunity.

I thank my Heavenly Father for health and strength and his watchful care over me, and each one of you for the privilege of working with you in the work of the church.

Sincerely yours,

LOUIS O. ODON

PARKSIDE PARISH

Parkside Parish, a special mission project of the conference assigned to First Church, Dayton, is showing fine progress under the team leadership of three seminarians: Philip Isgrigg, Barry Lewis, and James Corbett.

These three men are each responsible for pastoral work in a segment of the Parkside Homes community. Thy divide the age group work between them, and rotate in preaching, leading worship, and serving as Sunday School Superintendent.

A full range of church related activities has been developed, as well as a number of activities directly related to various social agencies who serve in the Parkside Community.

We have a direct ministry to about 100 children, about 25 youth, and 50 or 60 adults, and an indirect ministry to a much larger number.

Attendance at Sunday School is about 115, Worship 40, Youth Fellowship 20, and Boys and Girls Fellowship 65.

In addition to personal service of volunteer help, First Church budgets $6,572 to Parkside Parish, of which about $1500 comes from Parish offerings.

The growth of this mission, which will never be anything other than a mission, is encouraging. The cost of rendering the necessary services will increase each year and will probably reach $10,000 or $12,000 within a few years. This is beyond the ability of First Church to finance alone, so the conference, through the Board of Missions, should begin consideration of ways of supplementing the support now given by First Church.

— C. WILLARD FETTER

Report on the M.A.P. Program

The four year Mission Advance Program concluded its effort on December 31, 1963. The final report reveals the following facts:

The M.A.P. allocation to the churches of the conference for four years was $245,054.00, of this amount the denominational Board of Missions was to receive $146,559.00 and Ohio Miami Conference was to retain $98,495.00 for Home Mission Work. A total of $225,153.35 was received to January 1, 1964. Of this amount $138,400.00 was paid to the E.U.B. Board of Missions, and $86,752.35 was retained for Ohio Miami Conference use. The General Church, therefore, took a loss of $8,159.00 and Ohio Miami Conference took a loss of $12,743.00. Seventy-seven churches paid in full, and thirty-four churches failed to meet their quota, therefore, we have a deficit of $20,902.00 in the M.A.P. Program.

LOUIS O. ODON

REPORT NO. 5

Report of the Council of Administration

The actions of the Council of Administration for the portion of the Conference year dating January 1, 1963 to June 1, 1963 appear in the Conference Journal for 1963, pages 64-65. This summary is for the period between the annual session of 1963 and this session in 1964. It is divided into actions taken in 1963 and actions taken in 1964.

I. The Council met on August 29, 1963 at Vandalia and on December 10, 1963 at Springboro. The actions voted were:

1. Validated the actions of the Conference Board of Trustees and the Conference Board of Missions as reported at each meeting. These actions are listed in the reports of these Boards.

2. Elected William K. Messmer, Charles C. Messmer, Louis O. Odon, Emerson Bragg, Murn B. Klepinger, Milton Knollman, Walter Miranda, Carl B. Eschbach, G. H. McConaughy and William Worth as members of the Executive Committee of the Council.

3. Selected Charles C. Messmer, Roger Brown, G. H. McConaughy, William Worth and Emerson Bragg as a committee to study the new structure of the Church and to prepare a chart showing the various relationships within the structure together with a list of the directors and department chairman needed in this structure. This committee also is to prepare a chart showing the responsibilities of all members of the Conference.

4. Voted to send a letter to each member of the Conference asking what service they could and would like to make on the Conference level that more men be used on Conference committees.

5. Voted to pay the expenses of the Revs. Charles C. Messmer and Louis O. Odon to the meeting of the National Council of Churches in Philadelphia.

6. Voted to hold the 1964 session of the Conference in the Fairview Church, Dayton, Ohio.

7. Upon receipt of a letter from the Fletcher Church regarding its Christian Service Fund quota, it was voted that their quota be assigned on the factor basis.

8. Re: GROUP HOSPITALIZATION PLAN: The Council voted

   a. That the Conference accept its probable obligation for addition to its fringe benefit subsidy.

   b. That we use the principle of extending such fringe benefits through the Conference so that ministers of small churches may receive the benefits.

   c. That careful consideration be given by the Board of Pensions to the inclusion of lay-employees of the Church in the Group Hospitalization plan.

   d. That the Board of Pensions be requested to further explore all possible plans for Group Hospitalization and that a sampling of the ministers affected by the program be obtained by the Board of Pensions.

9. Referred to the Program Council for study and implementation the possibility of conducting a series of training conference to guide program councils of the local church, the district and conference levels as recommended by the denomination.

10. Approved the dates for summer camps at Camp Miami as outlined by the Board of Christian Education.

11. Approved the report of the auditor for 1962 and voted to pay Wesley O. Clark $500.00 for auditing the books for 1962.

12. Voted to hire Wesley O. Clark as auditor for 1963 and to pay him an honorarium of $500.00 for 1963.

13. Re: New Structure: It was voted

   a. That the duly elected or appointed members of the Board of Pensions, Ministerial Education and Relations, Evangelism, Missions and Christian Education be continued as members and that the Boards continue their function in the new structure.

   b. That the current Board of Trustees be continued for their individual respective terms.

   c. That the present committee on Christian Social Action become the Department of Christian Social Action and that the elected secretary, Rev. Gordon Core, be continued as Executive Secretary and/or director (There is a question of terminology in the title). Members of this department elected by the Council for the quadrennium are: Kyle Phipps, Herman Emmert, John Bergland, M. J. Parsons, R. L. Pounds, Mrs. Bruce Hilton, Richard Allaman, Mrs. Driver, W. W. Arnold plus a representative of the E.U.B. Men and the Citizenship Secretary of the Conference Youth Fellowship.

d. That the committee on Stewardship become the Department of Christian Stewardship and that the elected secretary, Rev. Carl Robinson, be continued as Executive Secretary and Director (The same question of terminology as in c. above). Members of the department are: John McRoberts, Harry Deaven, J. C. Herbert, Harvey Smith, Charles Loveless, Kenneth Shively and Harry Ward, ex-officio, William K. Messmer, Carl Robinson.

e. That a department of Communication be established. (Members were elected in 1964.) It shall include a Director of Communication who shall serve as chairman of the department. (Louis O. Odon was elected). There shall also be a chairman of Public Information, a chairman of Radio and T.V. Ministry and a chairman of Conference Publications. The Director of Audio-Visual Work of the Board of Christian Education shall become the chairman of the audio-visuals section. The duties of the department shall include the furtherance of the programs and activities of the General Department of Communication and development of programs in the Conference in the fields of public information and relations, radio and T.V. ministries and to correlate the production and distribution of audio-visuals materials and to oversee Conference publications. This department shall cooperate with the Program Council and serve it as the Council may direct.

f. That a department of Health and Welfare be established. (Members were elected in 1964). William K. Messmer was elected director and Wendell Freshley was chosen as associate director of this department which shall cooperate with the General Church Department of Health & Welfare and promote the interests of the benevolent institutions which are related to the Conference. It shall seek to serve the interest of those persons who fall within the orbit of its concern within the conference boundaries. It shall cooperate with the Program Council in the development of its program.

g. Elected Charles C. Messmer as Executive Director of the Program Council.

h. Directed that the Age Group Directors presently serving in the Board of Christian Education continue to serve in their respective areas.

The Executive Committee of the Council met on January 23, and on May 11, 1964. The Council met April 8 at Prince of Peace Church and on May 14 at Camp Miami. Actions taken were:

1. Elections to the various departments, Councils and Committees as required by the new structure and not previously made were as follows:

a. Program Council—The persons designated in paragraph 1011 of the Discipline plus the Ministerial Group Leaders.

b. Radio & T.V. Committee—Ed Ohms, chairman, David Schneider, Dorothy Allsup Sanders, Mrs. Dale Scherer, Eugene Griffith, Curtis Chambers, James Frazier.

c. Publications Committee: Chairman, Don Irvin, Herman Emmert, J. C. Herbert, Charles Orcutt, Craig South.

d. Audio Visuals Committee: Chairman, Forrest Garner, Harry France, Gerald Geiger, Dana Heaton, Bette Crotinger.

e. Publicity Committee: Chairman, William Miller, Robert Copeland, G. H. McConaughy, Mrs. Josephine Stone, Eugene Purdy.

f. Miami Messenger Editor—voted to request the department of Communications to elect the editor of the Miami Messenger upon the nomination of the committee on Publications.

g. Department of Health and Welfare (Members), Harold Brown, Mrs. Harold Glover, Mrs. Winfield Arnold, George McAhren, Cecil Bunger, Lester Grove, Grover Letner, Clifford Wittemeyer.

h. Committee on Recruiting—Harvey Smith, chairman, Everett Aldstadt, Harvey C. Hohn, Milford Ater, Clifton Hatfield.

2. Voted to reestablish our former method of printing a monthly report of finances and attendance in the Miami Messenger.

3. Approved the request of Fairfield St. Mark's Church to request a 10 year non-interest bearing note from the Department of Home Missions.

4. Referred the redistricting of the conference and/or the programing of ministers meetings to the District Leaders for study and recommendation to the Annual Session.

5. Approved the idea of a staff advisory committee and recommend to the Annual Conference the following actions:

A. That the standing resolutions of the Conference be amended by adding the following Standing Resolutions in regard to Conference-Staff Relations Committee.
Resolved that the Ohio Miami Conference have a committee to advise the Conference Staff.

I. Name

Conference-Staff Relations Committee

II. Function

The Committee shall confer with the members of the Conference Staff, either individually or as a group, on any matters which either the committee or Staff Members wish to discuss. The committee shall work in an advisory capacity in serving as a liaison between the Conference Staff and the members of the Annual Conference. The committee shall report to the Conference Council of Administration such matters as it deems necessary.

III. Membership

The Committee shall consist of seven persons—four ministers and three laymen. One minister shall be appointed annually by the Conference Staff. Three Laymen and three ministers shall be elected by the Conference Council of Administration. The elected members shall serve three year terms. The enabling resolution shall be such that one layman and one minister shall be elected to a three year term every year at the first meeting of the Conference Council of Administration following Annual Conference Session.

IV. Officers

The committee shall meet as soon after its election as possible at the call of the chairman or the conference superintendent. The committee officers shall be a chairman and a secretary and shall be elected annually from its membership.

B. That the following enabling action be adopted: (Enabling resolution to initiate committee and allow continuity)

At the first Council of Administration meeting following the Annual Conference Session of 1964, there shall be elected six members of the Conference Staff Relations Committee as follows:

One Layman and one minister elected for one year term.

One Layman and one minister elected for two year term.

One Layman and one minister elected for three year term.

The Conference Superintendent shall call a meeting of members elected and appointed as soon as possible following the Council of Administration meeting for purpose of organizing. In subsequent years the committee chairman will call such a meeting following the first Council of Administration meeting. In the event that the chairman's term of office concluded and he was not reelected, the conference superintendent will call such a meeting.

c. (The term used above in Item II. Function, "on any matters" was intentionally used to be quite general so there would be no limitation to subject matter between the Committee and the Staff. Subjects may range from comfort and welfare of the Staff and families; to personal problems and relationships; to the role and function of each staff member in relation to the total program of the Conference according to changing conditions and needs; —and/or to any matters which either the committee or staff members wish to discuss.)

6. Voted to request each department to pay the expenses of its representatives to the General Convention at Albright College, July 18-23, 1964 and where funds are not available in the department budget to meet these expenses the department is to bring requests for assistance to the Council of Administration.

7. Authorized the Director of Program to make a blanket registration for 20 adults to the General Convention at Albright College.

8. Voted to continue to print our own Conference Calendar.

9. Appointed Harvey Smith, Conference Director of Recruitment membership on the Program Council.

10. Voted to recommend to the annual session that the Conference Director of Recruitment be elected to membership on the Conference Council of Administration.

11. Voted to appoint the president of the Board of Christian Education to membership on the Conference Program Council.

12. Voted to validate the actions of the Board of Missions and of the Board of Trustees.

13. Approved the theme "Christian Family and Money Management" for the 1965 Stewardship Program.

14. Approved the purchase of 2 copies each of the films entitled "The Spenders" and "The Users". These are for the Conference Film Library and are to be used with printed coordinated materials which will be purchased in quantity sufficient for distribution to the ministers of the Conference.

15. Voted to have a public service on Wednesday evening of Conference, and to dispense with the committees which review program activities. These program activities are to be presented through the Program Council.

16. Authorized the Executive Committee to prepare a tentative budget for 1965. This budget was reviewed by the council and will be submitted by the appropriations Boundary and Finance Committee.

17. Authorized the superintendent to appoint a committee to make a study of the salaries of the salaries of the Conference Staff, full-time and part-time ministers of the Conference.

18. It was voted that the Conference Trustees, in consultation with the Conference Board of Christian Education, be authorized to purchase and sell parcels of land adjacent to Camp Miami.

19. It was voted that the items on Travel and Conventions in the budget be administered by the Executive Committee of the Conference Council of Administration.

20. The Council voted to place the amount of $5,000 in the 1965 budget for a Group Hospitalization and Medical Insurance Plan, contingent upon favorable action by the Annual Conference upon a specific recommendation by the Board of Pensions.

21. It was voted that in case a minister is delinquent in the payment of his Group Insurance Premiums his name shall be referred by the Board of Pensions to the Board of Ministerial Education and Relations.

22. That allocation of the budget be made based upon the 5 factors used in allocating the 1964 budget. The motion was amended by adding the words

without any adjustment factors to the increase in the budget. The motion as amended was voted.

23. It was voted to cancel the deficit amounting to $1067.77 which was carried on the books of the Conference on January 1, 1964 charged to the Miami Messenger.

24. Regarding auditing Procedures: It was voted that we have a session committee of three persons to review the work of the auditor and that Mr. J. C. Cassel of Dayton, Ohio be asked to serve as an advisor to this committee.

25. That the price to be charged for the Conference Journals be referred to the committee on Ways and Means of the Annual Session.

EMERSON D. BRAGG, Secretary

REPORT NO. 6

Report of Committee on Appropriations, Boundary and Finance

The Committee on Appropriations, Boundary and Finance recommends that:

1. The Ohio Miami Conference shall consist of one superintendent's district.
2. The Conference Superintendent shall be paid according to the following schedule:
   a. SALARY—The salary shall be $8,000 per year and house.
   b. EXPENSES—That $2500 be paid for travel and the auxiliary expenses such as food and lodging away from home to be paid upon presentation of proper voucher to the Treasurer.
   c. PENSION—That an amount equal to 12% of the cash salary be paid to the Board of Pensions of the Evangelical United Brethren Church.
   d. UTILITIES—That all utilities at the Conference manse be paid by the Annual Conference. (This shall include water, gas, electricity, telephone and fuel.)
   e. VACATION—That one month be granted at whatever time or times the Superintendent may find most convenient.
3. That the Director of Program be paid according to the following schedule:
   a. SALARY—The salary shall be $7200 per year and house. The Director shall live at Camp Miami.
   b. EXPENSE—That the Director's travel expenses are to be paid by the Conference Board of Christian Education at the rate of 8c per mile and that auxiliary expenses such as food and lodging away from home shall be paid upon presentation of proper voucher to the Treasurer of the Board of Christian Education and/or Camp Miami. Any reimbursed expenses shall be deducted from this travel allowance. Mileage shall be computed by deducting 10% from the speedometer reading of his car for each month, minus travel on vacations. Upon examination, the Annual Conference approves this plan as representing a true cost of the travel incurred in the duties of this office.
   c. PENSION—That an amount equal to 12% of the cash salary be paid to the Board of Pensions of the Evangelical United Brethren Church.
   d. UTILITIES—That all utilities at the Camp Miami Manse be paid by Camp Miami. (This shall include water, gas, electricity, telephone and fuel.)
   e. VACATIOIN—That one month be granted at whatever time or times the Director may find most convenient.

4. The Director of Development be paid according to the following schedule:
   a. SALARY—The salary shall be $6700 per year plus a housing allowance of $1500 per year.
   b. EXPENSE—That the Director be allowed 8c per mile for travel and auxiliary expenses such as food and lodging away from home shall be paid upon presentation of proper voucher to the Treasurer. Any reimbursed expenses shall be deducted from this travel allowance. Mileage shall be computed by deducting 10% from the speedometer reading of his car for each month, minus travel on vacations. Upon examination, the Annual Conference approves this plan as representing a true cost of the travel incurred in the duties of this office.
   c. PENSION—That an amount equal to 12% of the cash salary be paid to the Board of Pensions of the Evangelical United Brethren Church.
   d. UTILITIES—That all utilities at the Director's House be paid by the Annual Conference. (This shall include water, gas, electricity, telephone and fuel.)
   e. VACATION—That one month be granted at whatever time or times the Director may find most convenient.
5. An honorarium of $300 be paid the Recording Secretary; the Statistician, $200; the Treasurer, $600; and the Assistant Recording Secretary, $15. The Council of Administration is authorized to make such adjustments in assignment and salary as may be required.
6. The Conference Council of Administration shall consist of the members designated in the Discipline plus the ministerial and lay group leaders appointed by the Committee on Assignments plus four laymen elected at large for the quardrennium.
7. The Conference Council meet quarterly and/or at the call of the Bishop and the Conference Superintendent. These meetings will be held at 7:30 A.M. at Dayton Christ Church in September, at Rosewood Church in December; at Hillsboro Church in March and at Camp Miami in May.
8. The Council of Administration elect an Executive Committee.
9. The budget for 1965 be $341,684. Details of the budget are here presented.

PROPOSED 1965 OHIO MIAMI BUDGET

I	Share of Budget for OTHERS		$246,620
	Denominational Christian Service Fund	157,320	
	State Student Work	7,600	
	Student Aid	2,000	
	Ohio Council of Churches	3,200	
	Board of Missions	75,000	
	United Seminary Living Endowment	1,500	
II	Program of the CONFERENCE		6,850
	Ohio Pastors Convention Registration	250	
	Miami Messenger	3,000	
	Board of Ministerial Training	100	
	Program Council Budget	3,500	
III	ADMINISTRATION		30,500
	Superintendent	8,000	
	Director of Program	7,200	
	Director of Development	6,700	
	Office Salaries	7,500	
	Treasurer	600	
	Recording Secretary	300	

	Statistician	200	
IV	HOUSING, UTILITY ALLOWANCES		3,950
	Utilities—Conference Manse	550	
	Utilities—Director of Development	500	
	Rental Allowance—Director of Development	1,500	
	Real Estate Tax—Manse	400	
	Maintenance and Insurance	1,000	
V	TRAVEL, MOVING, ETC.		10,900
	Travel—Superintendent	2,500	
	Travel & Expense—Director of Development	1,800	
	Travel & Meals—Boards of Commissions	3,000	
	Moving Expense	3,600	
VI	INSURANCE, PENSIONS, RETIREMENT		17,095
	Pensions	2,616	
	FICA	254	
	Industrial Compensation	225	
	Group Insurance & Hospitalization	10,000	
	Ministerial Retirement Aid	4,000	
VII	OFFICE EXPENSE		8,600
	Office Rent	1,800	
	Office—New Equipment	500	
	Office Maintenance—Business Machines & Building	1,000	
	Printing	$ 500	
	Postage	600	
	Telephone	1,100	
	Office Supplies	800	
	Conference Journals	1,500	
	Session Expense	800	
VIII	MISCELLANEOUS, CONTINGENCY AND ADVANCE		$ 16,345
	Professional Services—Legal & Audit	1,000	
	Contingency and Advance	16,169	
	TOTAL		$341,684

10. The Christian Service Fund Quotas for the year 1965 be assigned the Churches as follows:

NORTHWEST DISTRICT

Church	Ann.	Mthly	Church	Ann.	Mthly
Abbotsville	660	55	New Madison	3384	282
Caylor Chapel	600	50	Otterbein	1008	84
Antioch	4164	347	Savona	1032	86
Arcanum	5208	434	Phillipsburg	3744	312
Arlington	2052	171	Potsdam	1824	152
Brookville	4740	395	Pyrmont	1512	126
Castine	1200	100	Heistand	384	32
Yankeetown	408	38	Rose Hill	672	56
Clayton	3156	263	Yorkshire	480	40
Eaton	1752	146	Union City	4656	388
Eldorado	1152	96	Verona	1956	163
Englewood	4620	385	Ware's Chapel	1692	141
Greenville	5852	486	Waterhouse	456	38
Ithaca	2676	223	West Manchester	1128	94
Lewisburg	2340	195	West Sonora	516	43
Nashville	1080	90	District Total	$67,424	
New Hope	1320	110			

WEST DISTRICT

Community	444	37	Millville	972	81
Farmersville	4104	342	Oregonia	324	27
Germantown	5004	417	Otterbein Home	2028	169
Greenbush	720	60	Pleasant Ridge	2316	193
Hamilton First	7056	588	St. Marks	1704	142
Hamilton Ninth	1704	142	Springboro	1764	147
Jacksonburg	1608	134	State Road	1188	99
Johnsville	1896	158	Union Chapel	2688	224
Maple Park	696	58	West Elkton	960	80
Middletown	8832	736	District Total	$46,008	

CENTRAL DISTRICT

Aley	2148	179	Normandy	7332	611
Beardshear	3948	329	Oak Street	7608	634
Beavertown	9516	793	Oakwood	5064	422
Belmont	15216	1268	Otterbein	11724	977
Christ	3972	331	Residence Park	1488	124
Drexel	2544	212	Southern Hills	4584	382
Eastmont	3888	324	Sulphur Grove	4416	368
Fairview	11988	999	Trinity	5964	497
Dayton First	18420	1535	Troy Street	2136	178
Fort McKinley	6396	533	Vandalia	9216	768
Good Shepherd	2136	178	Wayne Avenue	4812	401
Liberty	3840	320	Zion	1344	112
Miami Chapel	1620	135			
Miamisburg	4248	354	District Total	$155,568	

NORTHEAST DISTRICT

Bowlusville	1332	111	New Hope	948	79
Columbus Avenue	1236	106	Piqua	4020	335
Fletcher	2784	232	Rosewood	2880	240
Ginghamsburg	1224	104	Xenia	2940	245
Lagonda	6816	568	District Total	$25,092	
Lockington	912	76			

SOUTHWEST DISTRICT

Batavia	2856	238	New Haven	1596	133
Cherry Grove	2484	207	Harrison	720	60
Cheviot	5052	421	Newport	1472	123
Clifton	2016	168	Prince of Peace	1992	166
Clough	3516	293	North Bend	1884	157
College Hill	3600	300	Willey Memorial	768	64
Dunlap	696	58	Zion	4296	358
Mt. Airy	3660	305			
Mt. Healthy	5064	422	District Total	$41,672	

SOUTHEAST DISTRICT

Bloom Rose	360	30	Mowrystown	936	78
Browntown	360	30	Second Creek	720	60
Union Plains	840	67	Wrightsville	228	19
Hillsboro	864	72	Liberty Chapel	408	34
East Danville	336	28			
Ketterman	240	20	District Total	$5,292	

11. The Browntown and Union Plains Churches constitute a circuit.
12. The Mowrystown and Ketterman Churches constitute a circuit.
13. The Bloom Rose Church be placed under the care of the Conference Superintendent.
14. We advance $2500.00 from the Group Life Insurance Fund of the Conference to pay the Conference share of the Group Hospitalization plan for the last 6 months of 1964 providing 75% of the ministers of the Conference enroll in the plan.

W. K. MESSMER, Chairman
EMERSON D. BRAGG, Secretary

REPORT NO. 7

Report of Committee on Audit

The audit committee has examined the audit prepared by Mr. Wesley O. Clark covering the year 1963. It consists of 4 sections.

1. The General Annual Conference Book
2. The Ohio Miami Conference Church Extension Fund
3. The Ohio Miami Conference Camp Miami Operations
4. The Ohio Miami Conference Mutual Benefit Society.

We find the audit was made according to generally accepted auditing standards and procedures. The above mentioned accounts are found to be accurate and reconciled. We recommend that the question raised by the auditor relative to the determing of the fixed assets of Camp Miami be referred to the Conference Board of Trustees for consideration.

HAROLD BROWN,
Chairman

REPORT NO. 8

Report of Calendar Committee

The Calendar Committee Recommends:

1. That a six month calendar be prepared from July 1 thru December 31, 1964.
2. That the conference session committee on calendar be given continuing authority to prepare a calendar or calendars for 1965.
3. That the calendar sheets be punched to fit in the three ring Program Planbook.
4. That the calendar be a printed listing of events in weekly-monthly grouping.

J. C. HERBERT, Chairman

REPORT NO. 9

Report of Committee on Ministerial Relations

Upon recommendation of the Board of Ministerial Education and Relations your committee moves the following resolutions:

1. That the following be continued on the roll of ministerial students:

Ronald Anderson	Robert Koettel
Terry Meyers	Jack Loschert
David Roark	John Boyd
Sidney Adkins	David Trout

2. That the following be added to the roll of ministerial students:

Eugene Ankerman
Larry E. Ganger
Timothy Moody

3. That the following be deleted from the roll of ministerial students:

Sam Longmire
Phillip Gibson
Thomas Hardy

4. That the licenses of the following probationers be validated:

Kent Adams
Robert Bullock
Mike Christian
Gary Eubank
James M. Farrell
James Lowell Lake
Charles Muller
Judith Stone Olin
H. Eugene Risch
John L. Schaefer
Paul Westbrook

5. That probationers license be granted to the following:

Mrs. Wyvonne Freeman
David McRoberts
Wendell Butt

6. That the following probationers be advanced to Elder's Orders and received into the active itinerancy:

Robert Anderson of Oak Street Church
Joel Baer of Belmont Church

Upon reference from the Conference and the request of the individuals involved, we move the following resolutions:

7. That the following be continued in the active itinerancy without appointment for the next year:

Carl Vorp
Carl Cotrone

8. That **Edgar Schrader** be continued as a superannuated itinerant elder because of physical disability.

9. That the following be granted the relationship of superannuated itinerant elder:

William Comfort, as of this date
Earl Stockslager, as of September 1, 1964

10. That **James Wagner,** a former member of this Conference, be received as an active itinerant elder from the Ohio Southeast Conference, subject to the receipt of his transfer.

11. That **Lee Kreider,** an elder in the United Missionary Church, a graduate of our own Seminary and a pastor in our Conference, be received as an elder and accepted into the active itinerancy.

12. That the following be granted certificates of dismissal and recommendation in order that they might unite with other communions:
Myron Ketron, who wishes to become a Presbyterian.
Donald Heacock, who has united with the Protestant Episcopal Church.

Respectfully submitted,
C. WILLARD FETTER, Chairman
MURN B. KLEPINGER, Secretary

REPORT NO. 9A

Committee on Ministerial Relations
Supplemental Report

Upon certification of the Board of Ministerial Training and Relations, your committee recommends that Thomas Boomershine, of the Clayton Church. be licensed as a probationer in the conference.

C. W. FETTER, Chairman

REPORT NO. 10

Report of Committee on Memoirs

Tribute to Mrs. Lewis Ludwick

Mrs. Laura (Firman) Ludwick was born in Clinton County, Ohio. on February 11, 1883, and departed this life September 18, 1963.

On July 12, 1902, she was united in marriage with Lewis George Ludwick with whom she travelled "Life's Highway" for almost sixty-one years.

Of the issue of this marriage, nine children; three sons and six daughters were born. All are left to mourn their loss, along with seventeen grandchildren and nine great-grandchildren.

She and the late Rev. Ludwick united with the United Brethren Church in Midland City, Ohio, during an evangelistic meeting in 1913. For thirty-eight of their almost sixty-one years of marriage she performed the duties of a minister's wife and she served with her husband in the churches. The last church they served was Mt. Airy, from which they retired in 1948.

Mrs. Ludwick was an outstanding Christian, patient and kind. She was always devoted to and very proud of her husband.

CLIFFORD STEARNS

IN MEMORIAM

We pause in this service of memory to honor many of our laymen and laywomen who have passed on during the year since the last Annual Conference Session.

We are listing here the persons who were members of the Local Conferences and/or Sunday School Teachers.

Hazel Bell	Maple Park
Elvah Bennet	Otterbein Home
Roscoe Brane	Dayton, First
Russel Conover	Dayton, Otterbein
Harry B. Haines	Phillipsburg
Alma Harrell	College Hill
Ralph Hartman	Verona
J. T. Hawkins	Clough
Jack Heinhold	Mt. Airy
Pearl Holsapple	Castine
Forrest Hughes	Cheviot
Jacob L. Ketron	New Hope
Frederick Knox	Wrightsville
William Krahling	Mt. Airy
Joe Miller	Arcanum
Rev. R. S. Parr	Fairview

(Conference Membership — Ohio Southeast)

Stanley Price	Nashville
Walter Sumpter	Dayton, Otterbein
Paul Werner	Dayton, Otterbein
Charles C. Whistler	Dayton, First

REPORT NO. 11

Report of Nominations and Tellers Committees

Recording Secretary
Vote for 1
(to be elected for balance of quadrennium.)

*Emerson Bragg	122
Ed Ohms	19

Conference Trustees
Vote for 3

*John McRoberts	83
*Edwin Pellett	93
*Maurice Gribler	118
William Worth	57
J. S. Davis, Jr.	59

Trustees of Otterbein
Vote for 1

Everett Aldstadt	44
*John Bergland	51
Harvey Smith	44

Board of Missions
Vote for 1
(To fill unexpired term of Mrs. Warren Hartman.)

*Mrs. Charles Mumma	79
Bette Crotinger	56

Temperance League Trustees
Vote for 2

Francis Huber	64
*Eugene Griffith	88
*Maurice Parsons	68
Raymond Merz	58

Judicial Committee
Vote for 1

*Louis O. Odon	68
Walter Arnold	33
James Duvall	37

Member of Ohio Council of Churches
Elect 7
Vote for 3 Ministers

*Everett Aldstadt	86
*Robert Eschbach	78
*Marvin McRoberts	69
James Frazier	61
Forrest Garner	57
Herman Emmert	64

Vote for 2 Laymen

*Earl Winkler	98
*Herbe Henderson	64
Lyle Stibbs	54
Willie Crick	45

Vote for 2 Laywomen

*Betty Henn	89
*Mrs. Howard Price	87
Joan Reason	44
Doris Faulkner	45

Inter-Conference Council Representative
Vote for 2

*Milford Ater	64
William Hensley	58
Demi Edwards	35
*Howard Hahn	66
J. C. Herbert	54

Lay Representative on Student Work Board
Vote for 2

*Mrs. Clifford Stearns	72
*Mrs. John Bench	83
Doris Marker	25
Cleve Klepinger	42
Don Shipley	45

Committee on Transportation
Vote for 1

*Wendell Hohn	61
Grover Letner	52
Wesley O. Clark	26

Representative to Miami Branch WSWS
Vote for 1

*Joel Baer	70
Robert Anderson	66

Ohio Miami Conference Church Extension Fund Committee

Vote for All

Northwest Group
Clyde Parks
George Share
John Jones
Lowell Hawkey
Frank Robinson

Southeast Group
Elbert Freeman
Steve Sonner
Paul Williams
James Carnes
Francis Huber

West Group
Oliver Seitter
Paul Arnold
Lawrence Todt
Richard Arnold
Clifford Stearns

Central Group
Harvey W Hammink
Harry Kiefaber
Dr. A. D. Cook
Hubert Fellers
W. N. Miranda

Southwest Group
Ernest Floyd
Milton Knollman
Clifford Wittmeyer
Frank Peters
William Hensley

Northeast Group
Elton Tavenner
J. Richard Hill
Ray Fridley
Waldo Michael
Gerald Geiger

At Large	*At Large*	*At Large*
Ray Fulton	Harvey Shute	C. C. Messmer
Robert Hensley	P. M. Herrick	W. K. Messmer
G. H. McConaughy	L. O. Odon	Carl Robinson

All were elected.

KYLE PHIPPS, Chairman Nominations
DANA HEATON, Chairman, Tellers

REPORT NO. 12

Report Committee to Plan District Meetings

By Action of the Conference Council of Administration the ministerial group leaders were authorized to make a study of group meeting activities and make recommendations to the Annual Conference for any changes.

After thorough discussion the following recommendations are made:

1. That there will be three conference wide ministerial meetings September 13, January 11, and April 5, 1965.

   The nature of the program will be inspirational rather than promotional. The ministerial group leaders will plan the program.

2. Each group will utilize the other months of the year for planning their own program. The schedule is to be arranged advantageously for the Conference Staff to be enabled to attend the group meetings.

Respectfully submitted,
WILLIAM K. MESSMER, Chairman

REPORT NO. 13

Committee of Review of Journal

The Committee has received the Journal for the Wednesday morning and afternoon sessions and found them to be in good order.

The committee to Review the Journal has read the minutes for the Wednesday evening, Thursday morning and Thursday aftrnoon sessions and found them to be in good order.

JAMES FRAZIER, JR., Chairman

REPORT NO. 14

Committee on Resolutions

To the one hundred fifty-fifth session of the Ohio Miami Conference and the thirteenth session oi the Ohio Miami Conference, the Committee on Resolutions, acting in behalf of the conference, wishes to express its sincere appreciation to all the participants who shared so earnestly in this conference. Therefore be it resolved:

1. That our gratitude and appreciation be conveyed to Bishop Paul M. Herrick for his efficient handling of a busy program and for his fine spiritual leadership.
2. To acknowledge our sincere appreciation to our Conference Superintendent, Dr. William K. Messmer, for his untiring effort in giving himself so totally and unreservedly to God's work in our conference, and for his report which is but one example of his ability to inspire and challenge.
3. To express our thanks to our Program Director, Rev. Charles Messmer, who has maintained and promoted such an active camping

program and who has been so willing to give personal guidance in the field of Christian Education.

4. To acknowledge the work of Rev. Louis Odon, Director of Development, who has made us more conscious of the interest and ability of the conference to encourage and promote needed developments.
5. To thank Rev. Milford Ater, Director of Music, Rev. Eugene Risch, Organist, Rev. Henry Brooks, soloist, the choir, organist, and choir director from the Fairview and Christ churches, and all those who made the conference more enjoyable with their music.
6. That proper recognition and appreciation be expressed to the Fairview Church, as host, the church staff, ushers, ladies of the church, the scouts, the youth, and any others who helped assure us of the conveniences necessary.
7. To express our greetings to all guests of the conference and to sincerely thank those persons for their devotional and informative presentations: Dr. Wade Miller of Otterbein College, Rev. Everett Aldstadt, who gave the memorial address, Rev. Mervyn L. Matteson, Director of Youth Work of the Fairview Church, Miss Lois Miller and Dr. Nordan Murphy, representing the general church, Rev. John Armentrout, representing the Methodist Church, Mrs. L. L. Huffman, for the Ohio Miami Branch Women's Society of World Service, Mrs. Clyde Bielstein, for the United Theological Seminary Auxiliary, Dr. C. W. Winch, representing the Midwest Homes, Dr. J. B. Behney, representing the United Theological Seminary, Dr. Charles L. Seasholes, pastor of Dayton First Baptist Church, Mr. G. H. McConaughy, and Mr. Dale Phillipi, who gave presentations to the laymen, Dr. Irvin Batdorf, who preached the Ordination sermon, Rev. Clifton Hatfield, for his devotional address, Dr. John Wilson, representing the Ohio Council of Churches, Dr. Arthur L. Schultz, representing Otterbein College, Rev. Norman Snook, representing Ohio Student Work, Mr. Everett Petry, representing the Board of Publications.
8. To extend our thanks and appreciation to Shirley Grove, Eileen McRoberts and their helpers for their efficient work and long hours in providing the conference with needed reports and ballots.
9. To express our appreciation to Mr. Everett Petry and Mrs. Edna Weidel for bringing us the facilities of the Otterbein Bookstore.
10. To express to Wendell Hohn recognition for keeping the Conference Treasury in good order, and to Dorothy Miller and Edith Bickel, her assistant, for their efficient efforts in keeping account of our conference finances.
11. To express thanks to our newspaper reporter, Robert Copeland and the Board of Tellers, Dana Heaton, Chairman.
12. That we express our appreciation for laymen who were willing to be away from their work and family in order to share in the work of the conference both during the annual session and throughout the year.

Respectfully submitted,
WILLIAM MILLER

REPORT NO. 15

Student Aid Committee Report

Students from Ohio Miami Conference are given financial aid from various sources. The allocations are made by the Student Aid Committee which is amendable to the Board of Christian Education. The eligible students and the sources of funds are as follows:

1. College students serving as Pastors within the Conference: There are usually two or three of our men assigned pastorates who have families and

are attending college. We have a total of $200 appropriated from the Board. From this annual gifts of aid are allocated these men.

2. United Theological Seminary Students: There are ten students from Ohio Miami at U.T.S. this year. Expenses at the Seminary are increasing. Present tuition is $500 annually with a 40% conditional scholarship to E.U.B. students. $1800 is available annually from the Christian Service Fund and a nominal amount from designated Seminary scholarships. During this academic year, $15.00 per quarter per course (maximum of $180 per student) was given our men.

3. Students at Otterbein College of which we have 98: Funds to aid these come from local Churches and/or College Day offerings. 50% of all these are available for student aid. $35.00 per student was granted at the beginning of the second semester. A few upper class scholarships are available for our students, and our committee can nominate recipients. Interested students should contact the committee.

The Student Aid Committee
OWEN DELP, Chairman

REPORT NO. 16

Report of Tellers on Ballot—Ministerial Relations

Probationers to be advanced to Elder's Orders

Robert Anderson	58 Yes	2 No	1 Abstained
Joel Baer	58 Yes	1 No	1 Abstained

Probationers License to be Granted

Mrs. Wyvonne Freeman	64 Yes	2 No
David McRoberts	65 Yes	
Wendell Butt	65 Yes	

Be Received As An Elder

Lee Kreider	62 Yes

REPORT NO. 16 A

Report of Tellers on Ballot—Ways and Means

Place for 1965 Annual Conference

Camp Miami	86
In a Church	56

REPORT NO. 16 B

Report of Tellers on Ballot— Ministerial Relations

Probationers License to be granted

Tom Boomershine	64 Yes

DANA HEATON, Chairman

REPORT NO. 17

Report of Committee on Transportation

The Transportation Committee of the Ohio Miami Conference makes the following report.

1. That the moving expenses be paid for all the full-time ministers moving within the conference boundaries.

2. That the moving expenses will not be paid for students moving into the conference or moving out of the conference. Students moving during the three or four year period will move at their own expenses unless they belong to this conference then $25.00 will be paid by the conference.

3. That those who are moving into the conference, as full-time ministers, will have their moving expense as follows: one-third by the conference, one-third by the church to which they are moving, and one-third by the pastor.

4. That the maximum weight of any load of household goods not exceed twelve thousand pounds. All over twelve thousand pounds are to be paid by the owner.

5. We recommend that the moving expenses be paid for all retired ministers to their first move following retirement, if within the boundary of the conference.

6. That the moving expenses for the first move of ministers widows be paid by the conference, if within the boundary of the conference.

7. That the moving expense do not include lumber, machinery, tools and hobby equipment.

8. All ministers who are moving are asked to comply with the moving schedule presented by the mover or the Transportations Committee. No one should move until they are authorized; also this applies to students coming to the conference.

9. That all breakage or damage claims be taken up directly by the owner with the mover. These claims should be submitted within one week after moving.

10. No Packing expense will be paid by the conference.

11. Any additional insurance other than that provided by mover of household goods must be paid by said owner.

The Transportation Committee will be happy to assist in any way the ministers within our Conference who are moving or ministers coming from another conference to the Ohio Miami Conference.

WALTER N. MIRANDA, Chairman

REPORT NO. 18

Ways and Means Committee Report

Camp Miami

Since Camp Miami continues to be the center for the activities of the Conference and the camping program, and inasmuch as it was voted at the 1957 session to place the Camp Miami Improvement Fund on a continuing basis, and whereas we have a number of projects of improvement under way, including completion of indebtedness on the purchase of adjacent acres, and plans for the improvement of bathroom facilities, and an expanded dining area, and, whereas it is impossible to realize from the operating account the amount of money to do these needed improvements, and whereas we have always looked to the churches for this kind of support, now, therefore: we recommend that we continue the Camp Miami Improvement Fund and that the churches be assigned quotas for 1965 through the Sunday Church School at the rate of $1.00 per year per average attendance at Sunday Church School during the year which *closed December 31, 1963.*

E.U.B. Men

Whereas the Conference E.U.B. Men have adopted as a quadrennial goal a budget of $4,000 of which $1800 is for the support of Conference mission work, therefore let it be resolved that every Church urge their E.U.B. Men to support the Conference goals with special emphasis on the Men's Day Offering. *In order for every local Church to do their share in this, we urge every Church to set a realistic goal and strive to reach that goal by either a special offering, inclusion in the E.U.B. Men's or local Church's budget, or whatever means seems best.*

Student Aid—College Support

We recommend that every local Church set a goal of $1.00 per member in giving support to Otterbein College: (a) *50c of each dollar will be given to the college for operating expenses, and* (b) *the remaining 50c of each dollar will be used for scholarship Aid to students from Ohio Miami Conference attending Otterbein College. We believe that Christian College Day is an excellent time to promote this goal as well as to highlight Christian Higher Education.*

Editing and Additions to Standing Resolutions of Conference

1. Resolved that item 3 of the Standing Resolutions regarding Missionary Appropriations be corrected to read nine per cent pension instead of six per cent pension.

2. Resolved that item 1 of the Standing Resolutions regarding Ministerial Aid be amended with the words: "receiving a salary of $1800 or more *during each succeeding twelve month period following Conference—granted retirement shall be eligible . . .*"

3. Resolved that item 8 under Ministerial Aid be changed to read: *That the administration of Ministerial Aid funds and all decisions regarding recipients of these funds be cared for by the Conference's Board of Pensions.*

4. Resolved that all other items of the Standing Resolutions as printed on pages 20 and 21 of the 1963 Journal be approved.

5. Be it further resolved that a third category "In Regards to the Conference Staff Relations Committee" be included in the Standing Resolutions. Under this sub-heading it shall read:

a. Resolved that the Ohio Miami Conference have a committee to advise the Conference Staff. That the name of this committee be, Conference-Staff Relations Committee.

b. Be it further resolved that item 2 (Function) 3 (Membership); and 4 (Officers) be so listed and included as additional sub-headings just as printed in item 5 of Executive Committee and Conference Council actions taken thus far in 1964.

The Ministry

1. We recommend that the "Code of Ethics for Ministers", paragraph 2310 in the Discipline be the guide for minister in personal conduct in parish and professional standards. We further recommend that the "Code of Ethics for Ministers" be read in its entirety at the first district conference of each year and that paragraph 295 in the Discipline, which bans the use of tobacco and alcoholic beverages, also be read.

2. We recommend further: (a) That every pastor, including student pastors, be required to attend district meetings, and that the district leaders be encouraged to provide significant programs. (b) That enlistment of young men for the ministry be considered part of the minister's parish duties. Further, that churches encourage their ministerial students to continue their preparation. (c) Every minister shall comply with paragraphs 230 and 231 of the Discipline relating to his responsibility for pastoral instruction to children. We further recommend that adult instruction classes be conducted for the benefit of all prospective new members. (d) That every pastor be held responsible for submitting all reports of his church on time. (e) That ministers be encouraged to give full support to the educational institutions of the Church and that names of prospective college students be sent to the Director of Admissions of Otterbein College. (f) That all assignments be effective at the close of this Conference session and that pastors preach on their assigned charges Sunday, June 7, 1964. (g) In order to promote the concept of indefinite tenure we recommend that the committee on assignments read only the changes in pastoral assignments. (h) That beginning

with the 1964 Annual Conference assignments, the Ohio Miami Conference: *Paragraph 327*

1. Abide by the Discipline, "an ordained minister is authorized to administer to sacraments of Baptism and the Lord's Supper . . ."

2. Be it resolved that in keeping with the conference action of last year, that only those Probationers presently serving churches in the Ohio Miami Conference shall be given the privilege of administering the sacraments and that no newly appointed Probationers shall be given this privilege. This action shall not deny this privilege to persons who receive Probationers license at this session who are already serving churches in the conference.

Ministerial Support

1. We recommend that the minimum cash salary of each full-time minister serving a charge be $4800 per year and residence until January 1965. That all churches arrange for regular payment of the same. That any pastor receiving the minimum salary or more give full time to the church. Variations shall be approved by the Pastor-Relations Committee after consultation with the Conference Superintendent. That the charge grant an annual vacation of three or more weeks, without reduction in salary and with proper provision for supply. Convention, Institutes and Camps are not to be considered as vacation.

2. The Pastor-Parish Committee should invite the pastor to meet with them annually, prior to the setting of the yearly budget to discuss the work of the church, the pastor's role in the work of the church, and the pastor's salary. The chairman of the Pastor-Parish Relations Committee shall call the meeting.

3. In addition to at least minimum salary the church be urged to provide for parsonage utilities.

4. That in the event the minimum salary is not met by the charge, minister and lay member may present their case to the Conference Council of Administration for advice and direction.

5. That adequate provision be made for minister's travel expenses in performance of pastoral duties.

6. That local churches who have not done so, consider payment of the entire assessment for pensions, both that due from the church and from the minister.

7. The local church is urged to assume all, or at least a substantial part of the cost of the conference plan of health and life insurance programs covering their ministers.

8. That in providing for parsonage, the board of trustees in each local church give due consideration to furnishing equipment such as kitchen range, refrigerator or other items when specially adapted to the parsonage.

9. That churches to which new pastors are assigned begin payment of the pastor's salary with June 7, 1964.

10. That local churches be urged to pay the expenses of the ministers to the Ohio Pastor's Convention.

11. We recommend that the committee appointed by the Conference Council concerning salary standards report by September 15, 1964. We further authorize the council of administration to take appropriate action and communicate such action to local churches for consideration by October 1, 1964. Said Standards are to be effective as of January 1, 1965.

Church Administration

1. That the Board of Trustees of each charge shall determine the value of the church building, the parsonage, and other congregational property each year, one month prior to the end of the Conference year, and shall see

that such property and equipment are adequately insured, and maintained in good condition for regular usage by the congregation; also, that the Board of Trustees be required to carry liability insurance with a medical rider; also that churches, regardless of the number of employees, be required to cover thir employees in the Ohio Workmen's Compensation Law, and the Conference Superintendent remind the local conference of this responsibility.

2. That each local conference consider the election of a committee on personnel as provided for in the Discipline, paragraph 790.

3. That every minister secure a copy of the latest edition of The Discipline, and that members of the local conference be encouraged to acquire copies of the same. That the church follow and abide by the latest issue of The Discipline, in its organization, and its elections and all other matters covered therein.

4. That classes of instruction be held by the minister relative to the duties of the various officers of the church, unless there is a provision for such training by groups of churches.

5. That full recognition and support be given to the United Theological Seminary Auxiliary, local council of churches and other denominational and inter-denominational organizations recognized by the denomination.

6. That the Committee on Stewardship and Finance of each charge be advised to consider the Annual Conference expenses of the lay delegate or alternate and of the minister as an item in the annual budget.

7. That the local church provide an item in the budget for use by the Pastor for office expenses, periodicals and tracts.

8. That each local Church be urged to include a "Discretionary Fund" in its budget.

9. That the treasurer of each organization of the local church be required to carry funds under his supervision in a checking account, or savings account in a bank approved by the local conference and that all such accounts be in the name of their respective organizations; the books of all general treasurers be audited annually and where the funds are large enough to justify it the treasurers be bonded. That it be further recommended that a uniform system of bookkeeping be adopted by all treasurers in the local church.

10. That the guidance of the Conference Superintendent first be secured before any local church takes action to secure articles of incorporation or amend articles if already incorporated.

11. That each local church purchase a minimum of five copies of the conference journal and that the price of each Journal be $2.00.

12. We urge each local church to promote the distribution of the periodical "Church and Home" by participating in the Family Plan by providing the subscription costs through the church budget or by other means for at least 75% of the member family units, which is the minimum amount needed for the special rate of $2.00 per year.

Delinquencies

A sub-committee was given the task of investigating the circumstances which have caused thirty-three churches to be in arrears in meeting their obligation to the Conference for the Christian Service Fund at the end of the first five months of the calendar year 1964.

All of the churches which were delinquent were invited to have their pastor and lay representatives meet with the sub-committee in a series of three group meetings. Twenty-seven of the thirty-three appeared.

Some of the churches were found to be late, but fully able to pay their quotas. Indeed, several reported that their remittances had just been mailed. Several have the funds ready and available, but have neglected to transmit them. Others reported that their congregations were quite uninterested and unchallenged by the program of the denomination and conference and that they are unmoved by the church's call to constructive stewardship. In a few instances the sub-committee discovered genuine hardship and need; this

is especially true in certain declining rural communities where the churches have lost membership as the younger people move out to live and work in cities. For all of these churches some counsel and much encouragement was offered by the sub-committee.

Comments from the ministers and lay delegates of the twenty-seven churches have been written down for the special use of the Bishop and of the Superintendent.

In passing, we note that 19 of the 33 delinquent churches are small congregations which are served by student pastors.

As aids in helping the deliquent churches to improve their situation, the sub-committee agreed unanimously that increased efforts in stewardship education are needed immediately. To accomplish this, the sub-committee recommends that four steps be taken very soon:

1. Packets of stewardship materials should be prepared and sent to all the lay representatives of the Conference. These materials, so far as is possible, should be items already used in our churches with good effect, including locally made pieces as well as purchased materials.
2. A committee of lay stewardship leaders from various churches throughout the Conference should be recruited and organized. These leaders would be asked to function as teams to counsel with churches which could use assistance. Churches which are successful in encouraging and practicing good Christian stewardship could do a great service for some of the other churches now afflicted by only fragmentary knowledge, or by apathy or disinterest.
3. That this sub-committee be constituted a continuing committee to confer with delinquent churches at the end of each quarter.
4. That the Council of Administration be authorized to use the Contingency Fund to make such adjustments in quotas as may be necessary during the Conference year.

Date and Location of Annual Conference

We recommend that the 1965 Annual Conference be held on June 8 to 10 and that a secret ballot be cast to determine whether the location shall be Camp Miami or a local church. That if the ballot favor a local church, invitations from local churches shall be submitted to the Bishop and the Conference Superintendent no later than September 30, 1964.

We further recommend that the following list of possible advantages of each location be distributed to the members of the Conference as soon as possible, so that they may give intelligent consideration to this matter before the vote is made.

Possible Advantages of A Local Church

1. Worshipful atmosphere of a sanctuary, especially for communion, evening worship, and ordination
2. Large dining areas available
3. Good acoustics
4. Dry Floors
5. Unobstructed view of chancel
6. Value in meeting where a congregation worships regularly, and identifying with the worshipping, working church, involved in society
7. Adequate space for committees to meet
8. Conducive to conscientious participation

Possible Advantages of Camp Miami

1. Adequate parking facilities
2. Geographical location
3. Adequate free, local sleeping accommodations.
4. Informal atmosphere in natural setting
5. Makes the camp the center of Conference activities
6. Keeps us acquainted with camp facilities and the need for their improvement
7. Sense of belonging
8. Makes use of our investment in Conference-owned facilities

HARRY DEAVEN, Chairman
L. RUPERT GEBHART, Secretary

REPORT NO. 19

Report of Historian

Ohio Miami Conference Churches

Dates of Organization

This list is presented as tentative. It may not be complete nor entirely correct. The historian would welcome suggestions as to changes needed. Some of the places listed may have been only preaching places on circuits in the early years of the conference.

CHURCH	DATE	COMENTS
Abbotsville	c 1850	
Aley	1837	or before ..... Came into Miami Conference in 1843
Antioch	1812	..... First found in Miami Conference Minutes 1835
Arcanum	1856	
Arlington	c 1845	
Baltimore (New Baltimore)	.....	..... In southern part of Conference
Batavia	1873	
Beamesville	1846	or before
Beardshear	1860	
Beavertown	1844	
Beech Fork	.....	
Belmont	1904	
Bethel	1895?	
Bethel	.....	
Blackbottom	.....	
Blanchester	.....	
Bloom Rose	1867	
Boston	.....	
Bowlusville	1885?	
Bradford	.....	
Brookville	1871	
Brown's Run	.....	
Browntown	1881?	
Bunker Hill	c 1902	
Calvary	.....	
Calvary Chapel	.....	
Camden	.....	
Castine	1847	
Caylor Chapel	1868	
Centenary Chapel	.....	
Cherry Grove	1851	
Cheviot	1910?	
Christ	1881	
Cincinnati	.....	
Cincinnati First	1850	
Cincinnati Second	1863?	
Clayton	1869	
Clefacre	1881?	
Clifton	1904	
Clinton Valley?	.....	
Clough	1864	
Coleman	.....	
Coletown	.....	
College Hill	1908?	
Columbus	1868?	
Columbus Avenue	1912	
Community	1962	

Concord	------	------	Four miles east of Greenville
Cowden Memorial	1890		
Cozaddale	------		
Dayton Third	1852?	1858?	
Dayton First	1848		
Dayton Fourth?	1865?		
De La Plane	1874		
Drexel	1900?		
Dunlap	1847		
East Danville	------		
East Fork	1876		
Eastmont	1953		
Eaton	------		
Edward's Chapel	1879?		
Eight Mile	1876		
Eldorado	------		
Englewood	1888		
Enterprise	1867?		
Euclid Avenue	1870		
Fairplay (Colerain Ct.)	------		
Fairview (Darke Co.)	------	------	6 miles N.W. of Rossburg
Fairview Dayton	1887	------	Methodist prior to this date
Fairview (Mad River Ct.)?	1888		
Farmerville	------		
Ferrisville	------		
Five Mile	------		
Fletcher	1950?		
Forestville (Cherry Grove Ct.)	1908?		
Ft. McKinley	1908?		
Freeport	------		
Friendship	1879?	------	About 3 miles north of Pleasant Hill Church
Germantown	1806		
Gettysburg	------		
Ginghamsburg	1863		
Glady	------		
Gordantown	------	------	listed on Arcanum Ct. 1859
Grandview	------	------	4 miles north of Greenville
Greenbush (Bloom Rose Ct.)	------		
Greenbush	------		
Greenville	1857		
Hamburg?	------		
Hamilton First	1905?		
Hamilton Ninth St.	1860?		
Harrisburg	1888		
Harrison	1891		
Harter's	------	------	Harter's schoolhouse, West of Savona
Hartford Street	1890?		
Harveyburg	------		
Hickson	------		
Hiestand	c 1854		
Hillgrove	1876		
Hillsboro	1818		
Home Avenue Dayton	1892		
Hopewell	------		
Horatio	------		
Hyde Park	1924		
Iler's Schoolhouse	------	------	Mentioned in 1861 Preaching place

Ithaca	c 1830	
Jacksonburg	-------	
Jacksonville?	-------	
Jefferson	-------	At Fort Jefferson Listed in 1857
Johnsville	1841	
Ketterman	-------	
Kirkwood	-------	
Lagonda	-------	
Layhigh? (Le High)	-------	
Lewisburg	1840	
Lewton	1927	
Liberty	1819?	
Liberty Chapel	-------	
Little York	1902	
Lockington	1850	
Low's Chapel	-------	
Maple Park	1916	
Merritstown	-------	
Miami Chapel	1846	
Miami City	1864	
Miami Valley	1954?	Affiliated with Miami Conference
Miamisburg	1876	
Middletown	1890	
Midland City	-------	
Miller	-------	Listed on circuit in Darke Co. in 1860
Millville	1822?	
Miltonville	-------	
Montgomery Chapel	-------	
Moore's Fork	-------	
Mt. Airy	-------	
Mt. Healthy	1833	
Mt. Pleasant?	-------	
Mt. Summit	-------	
Mt. Zion (Abbotsville Ct.)	-------	
Mt. Zion (Waterhouse Ct.)	-------	Sometimes called Zion 8 miles North of Union City
Mowrystown	-------	
Muddy Creek	-------	
Nashville	1857	
New Baltimore	1857	
New Burglington	1843?	
New Haven	-------	
New Hope (Lewisburg Dist.)?	-------	
New Hope (Preble Co.)	1808	
New Hope (Lockington Charge)	-------	
New Lexington	1880?	
New Madison	1878	
New Paris	1883?	
New Weston	-------	
Newcomer?	-------	
Newport	1894	
Newton	-------	
Nine Mile	-------	
Normandy	1955	
North Bend	1906	
Norwood	1905?	
Oak Grove	-------	
Oakland	-------	5 miles east of Greenville
Oak Street, Dayton	1886	

Oakwood	1926	
Olivet, Dayton	1901	
Orangeburg?	———	
Oregonia	1873	
Otterbein Chapel	———	possible before 1846
Otterbein, Dayton	1853	
Otterbein Home	1914	
Otwell	1914?	
Phillipsburg	1852?	
Phillipsburg Zion	———	
Pikeville	1886	5 miles west of Greenville
Piqua	1893	
Pittsburg	———	listed on Arcanum Ct. in 1859
Pleasant Grove	———	
Pleasant Hill	———	Near Indiana line north of Richmond
Pleasant Ridge	———	
Pleasant Valley (Clermont Co.)	———	
Pleasant View	———	
Poasttown	1924?	
Pointer's Schoolhouse	———	
Potsdam	———	
Prince of Peace	1842	
Princeton?	———	
Pyrmont	1836	
Residence Park	1927?	
Riverside	1925?	
Rockdale	1890	
Rogersville	1864?	
Rose?	———	
Ross?	———	
Rose Hill	c 1880	
Rosewood	1899	
Rossville (Rossburg?)	———	
Rossburg	1886	
St. Mark	1953?	
Salem?	———	
Salem (Champion Co.)	———	
Salem (New Hope Ct.)?	———	
Sampson	———	N.W. of Arcanum about 3 miles before 1840
Savona	c 1861	
Second Creek	1856	
Seven Mile	———	
Seven Mile Chapel (Butler Co.)	———	
Shiloh?	———	
Southern Hills	1909?	
Springboro	1868	
Springcreek	———	
State Road	1887	
Stillwater	———	
Sulphur Grove	1852?	
Sunbury	———	
Stamback	———	
Tegarden	———	
Trinity, Dayton	1904	
Troy Street, Dayton	1903?	
Twin Chapel	———	
Union (Champion Co.)	1832	
Union (Yorkshire Ct.)	———	
Union Chapel	1825?	

Union City	1876	
Union Plains	------	
Utica	------	
Vandalia	1838	
Verona	c 1839	
Wagner	1884	
Walker Chapel	------	about 5 miles south of New Madison
Ware's Chapel	c 1833	
Waterhouse	------	
Wayne Avenue, Dayton	1841	
Weaver Station	before 1851	
Wengerlawn	------	
West Elkton	------	
West Grove	------	12 miles east of Greenville on Rt. 71 Cornerstone 1850
West Manchester	------	
West Milton	------	
West Sonora	1856	
White Oak	------	
Willey Memorial	1896?	
Williamsburg	1889?	
Winchester	------	
Wrightsville	------	
Xenia	1925	
Yankeetown	1847?	
Yorkshire	1884	
Zion, Cincinnati	1807?	
Zion, Dayton	1893	

ROY D. MILLER, Historian

REPORT NO. 20
CONFERENCE STATISTICAL REPORT

Ministry and Charges

A.	Number of Elders in the Conference		116
	1. Under appointment	90	
	2. Superannuated	21	
	3. Local Elders	5	
B.	Probationers under appointment		4
C.	Probationers not under appointment		9
D.	Number of Charges		102
E.	Number of Organized Congregations		116

Christian Life and Work

1.	Members reported at the close of last year		35,283
2.	Members gained during conference year by:		
	a. Confession of Faith	1,091	
	b. Certificate of Transfer	368	
	c. Certificate of Membership	450	
	d. TOTAL GAIN		1,909
3.	Members lost during conference year by:		
	e. Death	398	
	f. Certificate of Transfer	288	
	g. Certificate of Membership	475	
	h. Withdrawn without certificate	719	
	i. Other ways	112	
	j. TOTAL LOSS		1,992
4.	Net Loss		83
5.	Present membership		35,200
6.	Non-resident members		3,379
7.	Members under 13 years of age		376
8.	Conversions		1,091
9.	Reclamations		151

10.	Baptisms and Dedications		1,125
11.	Number of enrolled tithers		795
12.	Number of contributing units		12,377
13.	Number of families		
	a. Member		15,946
	b. Non-Member		2,905
14.	Number of Church and Home Subscriptions		10,491
15.	Average attendance at Sunday morning Worship Service		16,131
16.	Average attendance at regular Sunday Evening Worship Service		270
17.	Average attendance at regular Mid-Week Service		1,076
18.	Sunday Church School officers		943
19.	Children:		
	a. Sunday Church School enrollment:		
	1. Nursery		1,390
	2. Kindergarten		1,733
	3. Primary		2,839
	4. Juniors		3,040
	5. Teachers		997
	b. Enrolled in Catechetical/pastor's classes	605	
	c. Boys and Girls Fellowship hour average attendance	1,064	
20.	Youth:		
	a. Sunday Church School enrollment:		
	1. Junior High		2,184
	2. Senior High		2,429
	3. Teachers		303
	b. Enrolled in Catechetical/pastor's classes	564	
	c. Y-Hour average attendance:		
	1. Junior High	843	
	2. Senior High	1,256	
21.	Adults:		
	a. Sunday Church School enrollment:		
	1. Adults		9,619
	2. Home Department		506
	3. Teachers		405
	b. Enrolled in Catechetical/pastor's classes	583	
	c. Number of organized chapters E.U.B. Men	35	
	d. Male members	4,575	
	e. Number of organized societies of WSWS	93	
	f. Enrolled in W.S.W.S.	4,503	
	g. Number of organized Adult Fellowship	18	
	h. Enrolled in Adult Fellowships	718	
	i. Number of organized Young Adult Fellowships	19	
	j. Enrolled in Young Adult Fellowships	354	
22.	Sunday Church School enrollment		26,388
23.	Sunday Church School Average attendance		14,729
24.	Enrolled in Vacation Church Schools		5,861
25.	Enrolled in Weekday Church Schools		486
26.	Enrolled in Christian Service (Leadership) training courses		327
27.	Higher Education:		
	a. Number attending Evangelical United Brethren colleges		127
	b. Number attending other church-related or private colleges		169
	c. Number attending tax-supported colleges and universities		632
28.	Number planning full-time Christian vocations		38

Finances

A.	MISSIONS & BENEVOLENCE		
29.	Christian Service Fund Apportionment	$239,212	
30.	Paid on Christian Service Fund Apportionment		$225,675
31.	Missions and Benevolence Contributions not in Budget Apportionment:		

	a. W.S.W.S. Offerings	44,029	
	b. E.U.B. Men's Offerings	1,112	
	c. Boys and Girls Fellowship missionary offering	240	
	d. Youth Fellowship World Service Offering	4,088	
	e. Other Missions & Benevolence: Denominational	60,101	
	f. Other Missions & Benevolence: Non-denominational	$30,450	
	g. Homes for Children and Aged	35,749	
	h. Evangelical United Brethren Colleges	6.507	
	i. Evangelical United Brethren Seminaries	2,574	
32.	Total Missions and Benevolence Contributions NOT in Budget Apportionment		$184,850
32.	Total for Missions and Benevolence		410,525
B.	LOCAL EXPENDITURES		
33.	Cash Salary paid by Local Church (Ministers)		$454,093
34.	Ass't ministers' cash salary paid by local churhes		19,162
35.	Value of parsonage rentals		
	a. Ministers		70,739
	b. Assistant ministers		900
36.	Housing allowance in lieu of parsonage		
	a. Ministers		14,480
	b. Assistant ministers		496
37.	Utilities		
	a. Ministers		31,715
	b. Assistant ministers		327
38.	Other Compensation		
	a. Ministers		13.580
	b. Assistant ministers		542
39.	Received from Appropriations		
	a. Ministers		8,683
	b. Assistant ministers		----
40.	Total ministerial compensation		
	a. Ministers		593,299
	b. Assistant ministers		21,427
41.	Ministerial expenses paid by church		
	a. Ministers		39,930
	b. Assistant ministers		1,228
42.	General Board of Pensions 9% apportionment		
	a. Ministers		36,721
	b. Assistant ministers		427
43.	Other current expense including maintenance		683.936
44.	Sunday Church School, Vacation, and Weekday School		98.146
45.	Fellowships		12,098
46.	E.U.B. Men		4,900
47.	W.S.W.S		32,460
48.	Paid on indebtedness this year		271,518
49.	Paid on interest this year		99,346
50.	Paid on new buildings and property		933,008
51.	Paid on improvements		92,453
52.	Paid into reserve or trust funds this year		311,591
53.	TOTAL LOCAL EXPENDITURES THIS YEAR		3,152,166
54.	Borrowed funds spent this year	706,940	
55.	Paid out of reserve and/or trust funds this year	406,280	
56.	Grants from Annual Conference and other church agencies	31,605	
57.	Special gifts from non-members	14,058	
58.	Received from sale of church-owned property	88.500	
59.	Total deductions		1,247,377
60.	NET TOTAL FOR LOCAL EXPENSE		1,904,789
61.	TOTAL FOR ALL PURPOSES		2,315,314

62.	Average per member for Missions and Benevolence		11
63.	Average per member for all purposes		65
64.	Number of churches	116	
65.	Number of parsonages	91	
66.	Value of churches	$14,736,571	
67.	Value of parsonages	1,247,600	
68.	Value of other church property	778,550	
69.	TOTAL VALUE OF LOCAL CHURCH PROPERTY		16,762,721
70.	Total insurance		14,148,554
71.	Indebtedness on churches		2,197,888
72.	Indebtedness on parsonages		79,637
73.	Indebtedness on other local church property		168,425
74.	Total reserve and trust funds		444,382

Conference Property

75.	Number of District parsonages	1
76.	Value of District parsonages	$18,000
77.	Value of other conference property	634,000
78.	Interest paid on conference indebtedness	4,195
79.	Amount paid on conference indebtedness	64,432
80.	Balance of conference indebtedness	35,500

Period covered by this Report: January 1, 1963 — December 31, 1963

Submitted by
RALPH W. TINSLEY

REPORT NO. 21
The Ohio Miami Conference
Balance Sheet
December 31, 1963

	Balance 12-31-62 Debit	Receipts Debit	Expenditures Credit	Balance 12-31-63 Debit
ASSETS				
Cash Assets	55,035.67	443,168.64	433,943.63	64,260.68
Fixed Assets				
Office Furniture & equipment	10,458.29			10,458.29
Land & Building 927 Cumberland Ave.	18,000.00			18,000.00
	28,458.29			28,458.29
	83,493.96	443,168.64	433,943.63	92,718.97
LIABILITIES				
Non Conference Funds	5,784.65	62,167.07	58,966.25	2,583.83
Mission Fund	17,663.53	132,933.77	133,923.47	18,653.23
Other Conference Funds				
Designated				
Ministerial Aid	6,821.81	11,055.00	19,191.33	14,958.14
Group Insurance	4,294.24	7,548.56	13,451.00	10,196.68
E.U.B. Men	3,367.37	3,307.74	2,187.95	2,247.58
Board of Christian Education	293.78	2 840.54	2,520.00	(26.76)
Camp Miami Fund	2,642.28	42,932.87	43,712.26	3,421.67
Miami Messenger Fund	(1,484.52)	3,709.24	4,125.99	(1,067.77)
	15,934.96	71,393.95	85,188.53	29,729.54
Agency Funds				
See List	36.14	2,184.21	2,178.65	30.58
Capital Funds	28,458.29			28,458.29
Conference - General Funds	15,616.39	165,264.63	162.911.74	13,263.50
	83,493.96	433,943.63	443,168.64	92,718.97

The Ohio Miami Conference

Report for year ended — December 31, 1963

Receipts and Expenditures

	Balance In Funds 12-31-62 Credit	Expenditures Debit	Receipts Credit	Balance In Funds 12-31-63 Credit
NON CONFERENCE FUNDS				
Midwest Homes	108.64	33,129.46	33,129.46	108.64
Otterbein College	653.32	5,811.57	5,811.57	653.32
Foreign Missions	1,538.07	10,209.46	8,379.87	(291.52)
Foreign Missions (Special - Schneider)		432.32	432.32	
Home Missions	851.13	705.60	339.02	484.55
Youth Fellowship	1,613.84	4,596.44	4,596.44	1,613.84
American Bible Society	640.19	1,055.65	415.46	
C.R.O.P.	20.11	101.36	81.25	
Ohio State EUB Student Aid	76.00	152.00	76.00	
Living Endowment United Seminary	283.35	1,209.48	926.13	
Missions Day Offering		992.04	992.04	
Pioneer Day		35.71	35.71	
One Great Hour of Sharing		3,532.84	3,547.84	15.00
Children's Home Thank Offering		42.34	42.34	
W.S.W.S.		160.80	160.80	
	5,784.65	62.167.07	58,966.25	2,583.83
GENERAL WITHHOLDING FUNDS				
Withholding Tax—Federal		1,685.70	1,685.70	
City of Dayton—Income Tax—Withheld	36.14	138.75	133.19	30.58
F.I.C.A. Employees Withheld		359.76	359.76	
	36.14	2,184.21	2,178.65	30.58
	5.820.79	64,351.28	61,144.90	2.614.41
ANNUAL CONFERENCE—GENERAL				
Cash Balance 1-1-63 15,899.74, Less-Seminary Contribution to Non-Conference Fund *$283.35*	15,616.39			
Receipts				
Missions & Benevolence			224,558.24	
Conference Minutes			23.95	
Interest Earned on Scholarship Endowment			503.34	
Interest Earned on Permanent Fund			1.212.48	
Rents—Ohio Regional Planning Board			500.00	
Rent Board of Ministerial Education & Relations			225.00	
Rent Board of Christian Education			225.00	
Contribution—Wesley O. Clark			100.00	
Miscellaneous Camp Miami Charles Messmer			10.45	
Town & Country 1962 Refund			42.89	
Urban Church Commission —				

	Balance In Funds 12-31-62 Credit	Expenditures Debit	Receipts Credit	Balance In Funds 12-31-63 Credit
1962 Refund			10.39	
			227,411.74	
Less Transfer—Appropriations				
To Mission Fund			(50,000.00)	
To Ministerial Aid & Retirement			(4,000.00)	
Group Insurance Fund			(5,000.00)	
Board of Christian Education Fund			(2,500.00)	
Miami Messenger			(3,000.00)	
			(64,500.00)	
Net Available Receipts General Fund			162.911.74	
ANNUAL CONFERENCE — GENERAL				
Disbursements				
To General Mission & Benevolences		98,509.04		
To Salaries				
Superintendent		7,800.00		
Program Director		6,600.00		
Director of Development		6,000.00		
Recording Secretary		300.00		
Conference Treasurer		600.00		
Statistican		200.00		
Office Salaries		7,840.45		
		29,340.45		
General Administration				
Travel—Superintendent		2,499.96		
Director of Development		1.330.08		
Conventions		1.454.14		
Meals		298.59		
Ohio Pastors Convention		231.00		
Printing		205.26		
Postage		581.53		
Telephone		1,058.69		
Office Supplies		773.34		
Conference Journals		1,772.00		
Sessions Expense		811.98		
Office Building Supplies		19.77		
Professional Services		1,002.00		
Safety Deposit Box—Rental		16.50		
Pensions—Staff		1.728.00		
Advertising		318.47		
Utilities—Superintendent		454.26		
Director of Development		285.83		
Program Director		10.45		
F.I.C.A. Employers Tax		394.06		
Real Estate Taxes—Manse		374.19		
Industrial Commission of Ohio		277.97		
		15,898.07		
GENERAL ADMINISTRATION				
Rent—Director of Development		1,500.00		
Rent—Conference Office		1,725.00		
Moving Expenses—Office Furniture		77.50		
Repairs to Building		100.40		

	Balance In Funds 12-31-62 Credit	Expenditures Debit	Receipts Credit	Balance In Funds 12-31-63 Credit
Office Equipment (new)		569.96		
Repairs & Maintenance Office Equipment		353.49		
Office Maintenance		16.75		
Insurance—General Liability		411.37		
Promotional Material		4.00		
		20,656.54		
Moving Expenses—Pastors		2,390.01		
Student Aid—Universities Christian Campus Life		7,793.90		
Scholarships		815.00		
		8,608.90		
Loan Expense Principal		600.00		
Interest		31.25		
		631.25		
Investment Conference Board of Trustees Endowment Fund		1,200.00		
COMMISSION & BOARD EXPENSES				
Board of Ministerial Training		40.27		
Central Area Evangelistic Crusade—4-C Program		332.92		
Evangelism Commission		223.62		
Social Action		212.79		
Stewardship		12.48		
Town & Country		256.36		
Ohio Council of Churches		2,850.00		
		3,928.44		
Annual Conference—General	15,616.39	165,264.63	162,911.74	13,263.50
MISSION FUND				
Cash Balance	17,663.53			
Receipts				
Mission Advance Program			37,729.70	
Conference Missions			2,458.60	
Conference Missions EUB Men			1,800.00	
Special Contribution to Community Church — (Richard Templeton)			25.00	
Amberson Ave.—Hyde Park Parsonage Second Mortgage Paid in Full			1,580.00	
Rents—				
Montgomery Road Property			85.00	
Kemper Road Property			820.00	
Weaver Station—Sale of Shed			25.00	
Insurance Refunds—				
Montgomery Road Property			61.59	
Rossburg			16.35	
Normandy—Share of Payment to Grant Estate			6,675.00	
Sale of Montgomery Road Property			32,647.23	

	Balance In Funds 12-31-62 Credit	Expenditures Debit	Receipts Credit	Balance In Funds 12-31-63 Credit
Appropriation from General Fund			50,000.00	
			133,923.47	
Expenses				
Travel—Conventions		451.04		
Meals		47.83		
Printing		12.20		
Postage		1.00		
Professional Services		247.65		
Pensions		720.00		
Special Assist to Residence Park		1,281.10		
Insurance—Rossburg		16.35		
Ohio Council of Churches (SWOP)		940.00		
Promotional Material		11.50		
Trustees Loan No. 3 on Principal		18,000.00		
Trustees Loan No. 3 on Interest		1,938.50		
Ohio Miami Conference Church Extension—Sale of Montgomery Road		10,045.74		
Property Maintenance		591.37		
		34,304.28		
MISSION FUND				
Aid & Assistance to Churches				
Shaker Road Mission				
Salary—Howard E. Hahn		4,950.00		
Pension		873.00		
Telephone		8.64		
Utilities		242.28		
Repairs & Supplies		127.00		
Real Estate Taxes		388.64		
Debt Reduction—Parsonage		11,886.17		
Insurance		82.08		
		18,557.81		
Montgomery Road				
Insurance		5.00		
Well Expense		577.58		
Real Estate Taxes		46.19		
		628.77		
Kemper Road				
Real Estate Taxes		97.54		
Eastmont Parsonage				
Real Estate Taxes		51.34		
Aley				
Interest on Loan		1,282.98		
Principal		2,490.00		
Salary & Travel		1,068.80		
		4,841.78		
Prince of Peace (Bevis)				
Payment on Lot		211.00		
Interest		372.74		
Principal		3,476.20		
		4,059.94		

	Balance In Funds 12-31-62 Credit	Expenditures Debit	Receipts Credit	Balance In Funds 12-31-63 Credit
MISSION FUND				
Aid & Assistance to Churches				
Brown County				
Paul Westbrook		616.67		
Ginghamsburg—Salary		100.00		
Jacksonburg—Interest		91.66		
Pleasant Ridge—Interest		500.00		
Residence Park—Debt Reduction		4,800.00		
Second Creek—Salary		880.00		
St. Marks—Debt Reduction		12,157.32		
Union Chapel—Interest		1,500.00		
West Elkton—Salary		416.66		
Zion S/W—Interest		1,500.00		
Normandy				
Richard H. Grant Estate		12,750.00		
Flat Rock Children's Home				
On Loan—Principal		2,000.00		
On Loan—Interest		80.00		
Total Aid & Assistance		65,629.49		
Mission Advance Program		33,000.00		
	17,663.53	132,933.77	133,923.47	18,653.23
MINISTERIAL AID AND RETIREMENT				
Cash Balance	6,821.81			
Receipts				
From Publishing House Grant			15,191.33	
Appropriation—General Fund			4,000.00	
Expenditures				
Retired Ministers & Widows		11,055.00		
	6,821.81	11,055.00	19,191.33	14,958.14
GROUP INSURANCE				
Cash Balance	4,294.24			
Receipts				
Premiums Collected			3,175.00	
Dividends—Prudential Life Ins.			5,276.00	
Appropriation—General Fund			5,000.00	
Expenditures				
Premiums Paid—Prudential Policy No. G.2594		7,450.56		
Secretary Expense		98.00		
	4,294.24	7,548.56	13,451.00	10,196.68
E. U. B. MEN				
Cash Balance	3,367.37			
Receipts				
Contributions from churches			2,028.18	
Sessions Offerings			134.52	
Refund from Men's Congress			25.25	
Expenditures				
Travel—Convention		182.20		
Speaker Expense		25.00		
Printing		63.25		
Postage		51.40		
Telephone		5.44		
Promotional Supplies		37.50		
Honoria		42.95		

	Balance In Funds 12-31-62 Credit	Expenditures Debit	Receipts Credit	Balance In Funds 12-31-63 Credit
Advance to General Fund		1,100.00		
Contribution to Conference Missions		1,800.00		
	3,367.37	3,307.74	2,187.95	2,247.58
BOARD OF CHRISTIAN EDUCATION				
Cash Balance	293.78			
Receipts				
From Rental on Films			20.00	
Appropriation—General Fund			2,500.00	
Expenditures				
Travel—Conventions		1,767.21		
Meals		163.25		
Honoria		200.00		
Printing		20.15		
Postage		46.15		
Insurance—Liability		4.30		
Lab School		65.00		
Promotional Materials		299.16		
Supplies		75.32		
Scholarships (Christmas)		200.00		
	293.78	2.840.54	2,520.00	(26.76)
CAMP MIAMI FUND				
Cash Balance	2,642,28			
Receipts				
Contributions—Churches			14,712.26	
Loan—Third National Bank			25,000.00	
Transfer from Operating Fund			4,000.00	
Expenditures				
Travel—Charles C. Messmer		170.64		
Postage		5.70		
Professional Services		100.00		
Repairs to Buildings		4,386.74		
New Equipment		29,743.84		
Loan Expense—Interest		2,525.95		
Loan Expense—Principal		6,000.00		
	2.642.28	42,932.87	43,712.26	3,421.67
MIAMI MESSENGER FUND				
Cash Balance	(1,484.52)			
Receipts				
Subscriptions			991.25	
Appropriation—General Fund			3,000.00	
S.W.O.P. for Printing Equipment Maintenance			90.00	
Reimbursement for work done—				
Normandy			22.94	
Conference Office			10.50	
Aley Church			1.30	
Dr. Frey—Seminary			1.30	
Mission Fund—Supplies			8.70	
Expenditures				
Salaries—Editors		470.00		
Salary—Assistant Editor		30.00		
Salary—Secretary		921.08		
Advance		706.15		
Petty Cash		30.00		

	Balance In Funds 12-31-62 Credit	Expenditures Debit	Receipts Credit	Balance In Funds 12-31-63 Credit
Printing		549.75		
Folding		137.20		
Postage		207.95		
Addressograph Expense				
Supply Certificate		100.00		
Maintenance		48.72		
Supplies		30.44		
		179.16		
Multilith Expense				
Supply Certificate		222.09		
Maintenance		250.00		
		472.09		
Supplies (Miscellaneous)		5.86		
	(1,484.52)	3,709.24	4,125.99	(1,067.77)

THIS IS AN AUDITED REPORT.

Supplemental Report of 1962 Audit

Last June 3rd I presented the report as your auditor for the various units of the Annual Conference. This included the Church Extension Fund of the Conference. At that time it was necessary for me to qualify my statement as a progress balance sheet. This was necessary since I found it impossible to complete the detail analysis to support each of the accounts. I am glad to now report that I have completed the necessary work and submit the following balance sheet covering the operations of this Fund for the period of September 1, 1961 to December 31, 1962:

	Balance 9-1-61	Dr.	Cr.	Balance 12-31-62
ASSETS				
Cash—on deposit	$ 19,492.41	367.795.32	372,456.86	14,830.87
Cash—Interest Pay. Fd.	374.89		374.89	-----
U. S. Treasury Notes	14,916.62	44,706.25	59,622.87	-----
Notes Receivable				
Churches	455,894.07	130,358.07	140,958.54	435,293.60
Accrued Int. Churches	6,743.42	29,392.28	34,863.26	1.272.44
	$487,421.41	572,251.92	608,276.42	451,396.91
LIABILITIES				
Coupon Notes—				
211-Z ($1000)	$124,000.00	31,000.00	91,000.00	184,000.00
211-Y ($ 500)	22,000.00	4,500.00	20,000.00	37,500.00
211-X ($ 100)	11,200.00	2,700.00	12,600.00	21,100.00
Straight Notes —Churches	262,765.25	158,643.74	22,720.25	126,841.76
Notes Payable Div. of World Mission	8,000.00	8,000.00	40,000.00	5,069.72
Acc'd Interest	12,929.99	33,371.43	25,511.16	24,250.00
Permanent Funds	22,962.83	100.00	1,387.17	24,250.00
Operations Reserve	23.563.34	25,000.20	14,072.29	12,635.43
	$487,421.41	263,315.37	227,290.87	451,396.91

You will note that it was necessary for me to go beyond the twelve months period ending December 31, 1962 to obtain the necessary detail to support all the balance sheet totals. It was necessary for me to review the balance sheet as set up for August 31, 1961. When I could satisfy myself of the accuracy

of the total on that date which proved quite a task, I continued to examine every account both as to principal and interest accruals.

The totals presented above, in my opinion, are an accurate statement of the condition of this fund as of December 31, 1962. May I add that in the course of the examination it was necessary to do considerable work in the 1963 operations. In accomplishing this we have a statment as of August 31, 1963 which has also been given detailed attention.

WESLEY O. CLARK, Accountant

Church Extension Fund
Ohio Miami Conference
For Year Ended December 31, 1963

THE BALANCE SHEET

	Balance 12-31-62	Debit	Credit	Balance 12-31-63
ASSETS				
Cash on Deposit				
Third National Bank & Trust Co.	$ 14,830.67	$396,698.39	$381.357.37	$ 30,171.89
U. S. Treasury Bills		128,968.18	99,229.58	29,738.60
Notes Receivable				
Churches	435,293.60	108,289.27	134,610.19	408,972.68
Accrued Interest—				
Churches	1,272.44	20,974.35	20,854.86	1,391.93
	451,396.91	654,930.19	636,052.00	470,275.10
LIABILITIES				
Notes Payable				
Coupon Notes				
211-Z (1000.00)	$184,000.00	280,000.00	107,000.00	263,000.00
211-Y (500.00)	37,500.00	9,000.00	15,500.00	44.000.00
211-X (100.00)	21,100.00	5,500.00	9,500.00	25,100.00
Straight Notes—				
Churches	126,841.76	114,516.76	48,850.00	61,175.00
Division of World				
Mission (Special)	40,000.00	8,000.00		32,000.00
Board of Trustees				
Ohio Miami Conference	24,250.00		1,200.00	25,450.00
	$433,691.76	165,016.76	182,050.00	450,725.00
Accrued Interest on Notes Payable				
217—Straight Notes	2,269.25	4,457.32	3,545.26	1,357.19
218—Coupon Notse— X—$100.00	98.24	992.87	1,169.88	275.25
219—Coupon Notes— Y—$500.00	254.98	1,853.90	1,904.18	305.26
220—Coupon Notes— Z—$1000.00	1,247.25	9,000.85	10,054.85	2,301.25
221—Special Notes	1,200.00	2,240.00	1,359.98	319.98
222—Ohio Miami Conference Board of Trustees	----------	1,212.48	1,212.48	----------
	5,069.72	19,757.42	19,246.63	4,558.93
Operations Fund	12,635.43		2,355.74	14,991.17
	$451,396.91	184,774.18	203,652.37	470,275.10
RECEIPTS				
501—Interest Earned— Loans to churches		20,974.05		

521—Interest Earned—		
U. S. Treasury Bills	608.56	
TOTAL RECEIPTS		21,582.61
EXPENDITURES		
800—Interest Expense		19,226.87
Net Excess of Receipts		2,355.74
Balance in operations Reserve December 31, 1962		12,635.43
Balance in operations Reserve December 31, 1963		14,991.17

THIS IS AN AUDITED REPORT

W. A. HOHN, Treasurer

REPORT NO. 22

Report of The Board of Ministerial Education and Relations

June 3, 1964

The Board met three times during the year. The following business was transacted:

1. Chose the chairman, secretary and director of recruitment as delegates to the quadrennial institute at Naperville, Illinois September 15-17.
2. Voted to request the Ohio Miami Conference to provide a proper indentification card for the use of pastors.
3. Arranged to personally interview all ministerial students and probationers who could be reached. All names were divided among members of the Board for correspondence purposes.
4. Planned "Recruitment Sunday" for April 12 at Camp Miami, when pastors brought young men of their congregations who are considering Christian vocation.
5. Held interviews with sixteen persons and carried on correspondence with others.

The Board of recommends that Robert Anderson (Oak Street), having graduated from United Theological Seminary and having completed the requirements for ordination, be referred to the Committee on Ministerial Relations.

That Joel S Baer (Belmont), having graduated from United Theological Seminary and having completed the requirements for ordination, be referred to the Committee on Ministerial Relations.

The Board recommends that the licenses of the following Probationers be validated:

Kent Adama (Lagonda), Robert Bullock (Pleasant Ridge), Mike Christian (Greenville), Gary Eubank (Arcanum), James M. Farrell (St. Marks), Judith Stone Olin (Residence Park), H. Eugene Risch (Mt. Airy), James Lowell Lakes (Jacksonburg), John Schaefer (First Church Dayton), Paul Westbrook (Batavia), Charles Muller (Clifton).

That the following who have fulfilled the requirements for Probationer's license, be referred to the Committee on Ministerial Relations for such license: Wendell Butt (Union City), Mrs. Wyvonne Freeman (Liberty Chapel), David McRoberts (Greenville), Tom Boomershine (Clayton).

That the following be continued as Ministerial Students: Sidney Adkins, (Beavertown), Ronald Anderson (North Bend), John Boyd (Union City), Robert Koettel (Maple Park), Jack Loschert (Normandy), Terry Meyers (North Bend), David Roark (Clifton), David Trout (Middletown).

That the following be added to the list of Ministerial Students: Eugene Aukerman (Eaton), Larry E. Ganger (Potsdam), Timothy F. Moody (Ft.

McKinley).

The Board voted to remove the following names from the list of Ministerial Students: Phillip Gibson, Thomas Hardy, Sam Longmire.

C. W. FETTER, Chairman
M. B. KLEPINGER, Secretary

REPORT NO. 23

Report of Board of Missions

The Board of Missions actions from January 1, 1963 to May 7, 1963 are recorded in the last year's conference proceedings on page 125.

The following report is a summary of the actions taken by the Board of Missions at its meetings from May 28, 1963 to date.

JACKSONBURG—Approval was given for Jacksonburg to negotiate a limited grant loan for $10,000.00 with the Division of Home Missions for a period of 10 years.

Approval was given to mortgage their real estate and borrow $30,000.00 on a 5 year mortgage loan from the Barnitz Bank in Middletown, Ohio payable at $326.00 per month at 5½% interest per annum.

Approval was given to borrow up to $20,000.00 from the Conference Extension Fund for a period of 5 years at the rate of 5½% interest per annum. Repayment schedule to be determined when full amount of loan is determined.

Revised building plans were approved and the Church authorized to proceed with working drawings.

Conference trustees were requested to loan Jacksonburg $10,000.00 from the Church Extension Fund for a period of 10 years at 5½% interest. Conference Board of Missions to pay interest on this loan for 5 years from date of note.

ST. MARKS—Approval was given for St. Marks to negotiate a limited grant loan of $20,000.00 with the Division of Home Missions for a period of 10 years.

LAGONDA—Approval was given for Lagonda to borrow $4,000.00 at 5½% interest from Conference Church Extension Fund for a period of 4 years.

ALEY—A parsonage for use at Aley Church was considered. Approval was given to the conference trustees to proceed with the purchase of a house at 444 Shady Lane in Beavercreek Township at cost of $17,750.00. This house to be property of the conference. The conference trustees were requested to loan sufficient funds for the down payment on this house from the Conference Extension Fund The G. I. Loan on this house to be assumed at 4½% interest.

Repairs to the furnace were authorized and the ceiling had additional insulation applied.

FLETCHER—Presented preliminary plans for an addition to the church.

BROWN COUNTY—Approval was given to raise conference appropriation $200.00. Parish to match this amount in additional salary.

On June 6, 1963 the Board of Missions was reorganized. William K. Messmer, chairman, Harvey W. Hammink, vice chairman, Wendell A. Hohn, treasurer.

CHEVIOT—Approval was given for the sale of present church building to Calvary Church of the Nazarene for $40,000.00.

Revised building plans for a new church plant were approved, with building cost estimated at $350,000.00. Cheviot Church has on hand $160,000.00.

Approval was given to borrow $200,000.00 from the Cincinnatus Savings and Loan Company on a first mortgage loan for a period of 20 years at monthly reduction payment of $1406.00 per month.

On July 18, 1963, the Board of Missions studied the new structure of the church as it applies to the Board of Missions. The following persons were elected to the executive committee: Walter N. Miranda, chairman; Maurice Gribler, vice chairman; Hubert Fellers, Carl Eschbach, Harvey Hammink, Edwin Pellett, Harold Boda, Kenneth Shively, Mrs. Hazel Dover, Mrs. Warren Hartman.

Study and Survey

Maurice Gribler, chairman
J. C. Herbert
Mrs. Warren Hartman
John Bergland, secretary
Ivan Jenkins
Howard James
Charles Loveless

Church Construction

Edwin Pellett, chairman
Mrs. Hazel Dover
Marvin McRoberts
Harvey Hammink
Charles Messmer
Carl Eschbach
Hubert Fellers
Harold Boda
Wendell Hohn
Louis O. Odon, secretay

World and Home Missions

Frank Robinson, chairman
Mrs. L. L. Huffman
Paul Chastain
Owen Delp
Francis Huber
Gerald Geiger
William Worth

Town and Country

Carl Cotrone
Ivan Jenkins, chairman
Eugene Purdy
Harry Sinks
David Schneider

Urban Church

Howard James, chairman
Robert Copeland
Marvin McRoberts
Roy D. Miller
Craigh South

BEARDSHEAR—Beardshear Church sold their old church to a Church of God congregation for $35.000.00 on a $7,000.00 net down payment after sale expenses were paid. Beardshear requested a $28,000.00 loan from the Extension Fund for a period of 2 years at 5½% interest. It was recommended that conference trustees loan Beardshear $28,000.00 for 2 years at 5½% interest, this interest to be paid at figure of $128.34 per month.

At the completion of their building program Beardshear needed an additional $38,000.00 to complete building payments. Approval was given to Beardshear Church trustees to borrow an additiodnal $38,000.00 from the Montgomery County Building and Loan Association for a period of 11½ years at the rate of $380.00 per month.

SPRINGBORO—Approval was given for the purchase of a house at 65 Willow Drive, Springboro, Ohio, for use as a parsonage. Cost was $15,990.00. Approval was given to increase the bank indebtedness to $23,500.00 to cover cost of house.

RESIDENCE PARK—Approval was give to defray cost of material to add a room to the parsonage and furnish a stove for the parsonage. Total cost was $1,281.10. Approval was given to refinance the building program to reduce monthly payments made by the conference, $5,286.44 Board of Pensions Loan was retired, $7,571.30 National Bank of Dayton Loan was retired. Conference trustees agreed to loan $12,857.74 from the Conference Extension Fund for 10 years at 5½% interest, payment being $128.00 per month. Division of Home Missions agreed to reduce the monthly payment on their loan to $100.00, making a total monthly payment of $228.00 per month, instead of the former $400.00. A coordinating committee was appointed to guide in the work of church; Dr. Norman Klump, Division of Home Missions, Rev. Maurice Gribler, Dr. Harold Boda, Ohio

Miami Conference, Paul Gillespie, Bruce Hilton, George Brandt, Residence Park, ex-officio, William K. Messmer, Louis O. Odon and Robert Schurman.

The committee reported on its study of the Residence Park Church. In connection with this, Harold Boda reported orally for the Coordinating Committee that has been meeting with Residence Park officials. The pastor, Robert Schurman made brief statements concerning this work and the needs of the parish. Director of Development read the submitted finance report for the months of January, February and March 1964.

Approval was made to accept these reports and that they be referred to the committee for restudy, and resubmission to the Board of Missions, with specific recommendations.

Missionary itinerary in conference from November 3-17, 1963. Miss Doris Schneider of Japan. Her tour was worked out in detail by the Commission on World and Home Missions.

PIQUA—Approval was given to use the parsonage next door to the church for christian education purposes, and approval was given for the purchase of a house located at 806 W. High Street, Piqua, Ohio 45356 to be used as a parsonage. Church trustees were authorized to mortgage the real estate and secure a loan from the Piqua Bank for the purchase of same.

COMMUNITY CHURCH (Shaker Road)—A coordinating committee was appointed; Howard James, Robert Copeland, Ohio Miami Conference, French Combs and Ben Hunt, Community Church, ex-officio, William K. Messmer, Louis O. Odon, Howard Hahn. Additional insultation was installed on parsonage ceiling. Book racks were purchased for chairs.

Coordinating Committee's report was read and accepted. Pastor's report was read and accepted. The Director of Development is to continue his study of this mission and submit further progress report for consideration.

BELMONT—Approval was given to purchase the property adjacent to the church on Bellaire Avenue for $29,000.00. Authorization was given to Belmont Church Trustees to borrow $20,000.00 from Montgomery County Building & Loan for the purchase of this property.

BEAVERTOWN—Approval was given for the purchase of the Belt Property located north of the parsonage for $18,000.00. It was recommended that the conference trustees loan $18,000.00 from the Conference Extension Fund for 1 year at 5½% interest.

Approval was given for the sale of church owned property; 90 foot frontage on Wilmington Avenue, south of the church to the depth of 150 feet and the property on Devon Avenue to be sold to the depth of 200 feet with church retaining sufficient land on Devon Avenue for an adequate driveway to parking lot.

Approval was given to borrow $40,000.00 from the Conference Church Extension Fund for the purpose of consolidating present indebtedness, incurred during the purchase of adjacent property to be used for new church development. This loan is requested for a five year period with the privilege of paying interest only for the first two years.

COMMISSION ON STUDY AND SURVEY—Report on Kemper Road property that we continue to hold Kemper Road property with a forward look to development. Report on Springfield survey trip; that the area called Sherwood Park be surveyed to ascertain the possibility of establishing a church there.

ROSSBURG—Approval was given for continued use of this building by Darke County Migrant ministry.

FIVE MILE—The following resolution regarding the Five Mile Church was adapted.

WHEREAS the Five Mile Church has ceased to render a significant service, and since the number of persons attending has diminished to a few families, and

WHEREAS the local conference and congregation have action to request discontinuance according to the Discipline, having fulfilled their obligations in full for the current year, and

WHEREAS the church is located on land which has a reversion clause that provides the return of the land to the original donor or successors,

Be It Resolved that we recommend the discontinuance of Five Mile Church organization and the transfer of its membership to Cherry Grove Church. And be it further resolved that since this church building is historically important it requires careful maintenance within limits of funds available.

Resolved that we request the Historical Society of Ohio Miami Conference to hold an annual Historical Service in this building, and resolved that the Conference Superintendent be authorized to create a committee made up of representatives of the Five Mile congregation, the Ohio Miami Conference, and interested neighbors who want to conserve this Church to the best interest of all concerned. And resolved that this agreement is entered into in good faith for the maintenance of an historical building and is not to be construed as a perpetual agreement and is subject to revision by the Annual Conference.

CHERRY GROVE—Approval was given for the purchase of 5½ acres of land on Eight Mile Road as new site for Cherry Grove Church. Recommended that conference trustees loan $20,000.00 for this purchase from the Conference Church Extension Fund for 5 years at 5½% interest.

Approval was given to sell the extra real estate lot adjacent to the parsonage and authority to sell the present Church and old parsonage property for business purposes when a favorable opportunity presents itself. Before selling this property this Church is to have a bona fide appraisal made of the true value of this property.

NORMANDY—Approval was given to borrow $3,450.00 to complete payment to Grant Estate for 1963. Recommended that the conference trustees loan Normandy $3,450.00 from the Conference Church Extension Fund for 3 months at 5½% interest.

VANDALIA—Approval was given to borrow $5,000.00 for a period of three years to facilitate the purchase of two Hammond Organs for Vandalia Church. Total cost to be $13,000.00. The remainder of this amount is on hand.

CLIFTON—Approval was given to rebuild the chancel as per submitted sketch and tuck point the brick work, total cost will be around $6,000.00.

COLLEGE HILL—Approval was given to borrow an additional $3,500.00 on their existing loan from the College Hill Progressive Building and Loan Company, Cincinnati, Ohio, for the purpose of making the following improvements: ladies rest room, new lighting for sanctuary, new entrance doors and exterior painting.

OAKWOOD—Approval was given to borrow an additional $10,000.00 on their existing loan from Winters National Bank, Dayton, Ohio for the purpose of making needed repairs in sanctuary, replacing carpet and refinishing the pews.

STUDY AND SURVEY COMMITTEE—May 5, 1964, Maurice Gribler, chairman made the following report: It was suggested that Ketterman Chapel be related to the Mowrystown

Church as a two point charge. It was suggested that the future Mowrystown appointments be made in consideration of a possible yoked fellowship with the Mowrystown Presbyterian Church. It was suggested that Browntown and Union Plains be made a two point charge and the financial assistance offered by the United Church of Christ executives to augment the salary of the pastoral leadership in the community be accepted. It was suggested that Bloom Rose Church be closed and the membership related to Union Plains.

This committee having studied and evaluated the property situation at Union Plains we recommend to the Board of Missions that they recommend to the conference trustees that they colaborate with the trustees of Union Plains Church in the purchase of the adjacent available land and house.

It was moved that we recommend that the Board of Missions request the parsonage trustees of the Brown County Parish to sell the present parsonage in Mowrystown, and that parsonage be located adjacent to the Union Plains Church.

It was moved that the Board of Missions actions in regard to recommended changes in the Brown County Parish be discussed with the representatives of the churches involved at a called Board of Missions meeting shortly before Annual Conference.

It was moved that the actions with regard to purchase of property and projection of further possibilities be presented at Annual Conference.

MOTION—We accept and approve this report and request the Study and Survey Committee to present these facts to the Annual Conference.

The committee then reported on a new church survey made in the Sherwood Forrest subdivision of Springfield, Ohio. Ninety five homes were contacted in this area, and after a study of the results, the committee requests the opportunity to make further studies in Springfield to determine a location for a new church site.

MOTION—We accept and approve this report and request the committee to continue its work in this area.

ST. MARK'S—The finance committee submitted a finance program they had worked out and approved, which would enable St. Mark's to begin construction of their sanctuary unit. Report of Finance Committee is as follows:

$ 92,040.00	For Construction
6,000.00	For Pews
2,000.00	For Carpets & Miscellaneous
$100,040.00	

They can borrow $60,000.00 at 5½% interest from the Citizens Bank at Hamilton on a 15 year payment plan which calls for a repayment of $5,883.12 per year, which they can do at their present rate of giving. They can borrow $10,000.00 from the Division of Home Mission for 10 years at 3% interest. The interest only to be paid for the first 5 years, which makes it $300.00 per year. The Board of Missions and Board of Trustees of the Ohio Miami Conference can loan them $20,000.00 from the Extension Fund and pay the interest for 5 years. The Division of Home Missions will loan them $10,000.00 interest free for 10 years.

$ 60,000.00	Citizens Bank
10,000.00	Division of Home Mission 3% loan
10,000.00	Division of Home Mission Interest Free Loan
20,000.00	Ohio Miami Conference Loan
$100,000.00	
5,883.12	To Repay Citizens Bank per year
300.00	To pay the 3% Loan Interest
6,183.12	Total cost per year

MOTION—That the report of the finance committee be accepted and St. Mark's Church be authorized to proceed with their building program according to this proposed plan. All current and benevolent obligations are to be paid in full and evidence submitted at the time final working drawings are submitted for approval that the ability is there to operate on a pay as we go basis.

1965 BOARD OF MISSIONS BUDGET—It was requested that $75,000.00 be allocated to the Conference Board of Missions for 1965.

LOUIS O. ODON, Executive Secretary

REPORT NO. 24

Report of the Board of Pensions

Re: Major Medical Insurance

The Board of Pensions of the Ohio Miami Conference met at 10 A.M., May 21, 1964 at the Oak Street Church.

Members present were: Howard Hahn, Harvey Hahn, William Worth, Richard Hedges, Everett Aldstadt, Demi Edwards.

Proposals concerning major medical plans were considered from the following companies: Metropolitan, Pacific Mutual, Prudential, Integrated Plan by Blue Cross-Blue Shield and Phoenix Mutual.

After extensive comparison and discussion of the proposed plans, it was moved by Richard Hedges, seconded by Everett Aldstadt, we voted to present the following recommendation to Annual Conference:

The Board of Pensions of the Ohio Miami Conference recommends that said Conference subscribe to the Extended Medical Coverage Plan as proposed by the Prudential Insurance Company of America, according to the following provisions:

1. That the group eligible for membership in the plan be the active itinerant elders of the Ohio Miami Conference, who are serving charges within the conference, holding administrative positions within the conference, or holding general administrative positions within the denomination and residing within the bounds of the Conference, and any other person or persons who may be mutually agreed upon by the carrier and the Board of Pensions of the Ohio Miami Conference.

2. That enrollment in this plan be opened immediately and held open through June 30, 1964.

3. That any of the above persons who are granted supernumerary or superannuated relations after June 1, 1964 and before the end of the initial enrollment period be permitted to join the plan during the

initial enrollment plan only, and that they be continued in the plan subject to its provisions for retired persons; and that members who are granted supernumerary or superannuated relations after joining be continued subject to the same provisions."

4. That since 75% participation is mandatory for implementation of the plan, a signed committment be received immediately from each eligible person who wishes to become a member.

5. That all persons who become active itinerant elders in the Ohio Miami Conference after the plan becomes effective be required to enroll within 30 days unless their exclusion is mutually agreed upon by the Board of Pensions and the Carrier.

6. That members make remittance quarterly in advance to the person designated by the Board of Pensions and that a ten day grace period be allowed after which delinquent members be dropped from the plan.

7. That action be taken by the Ohio Miami Conference to appropriate $2,500.00 to subsidize this plan through the remainder of 1964, and that a minimum of $5,000.00 be included in the 1965 budget for the same purpose.

DEMI EDWARDS, Secretary

REPORT NO. 24A

Report of The Board of Pensions

Re: Ministerial Aid

Be it resolved:

1. That the rate of payments beginning July 1, 1964 and continuing through 1965 be $28.00 per year of service, with a maximum of thirty years credit.

2. That paragraph 6 of the Standing Resolutions in regard to Ministerial Aid be changed to read as follows: That widows of itinerant elders of the Ohio Miami Conference shall be considered special cases whose eligibility for aid shall be determined on the basis of their current need; that payments to such widows who are considered eligible be made on the basis of years of active service spent with their husbands in the Ohio Miami Conference and at the rate set annually by the conference.

Re.: Group Health and Medical Insurance

See Report No. 24

Re.: Group Life Insurance

Be it resolved: that members who are now delinquent in payment of premiums for group life insurance be required to pay in full by July 1, 1964 or be dropped from the plan, and that hereafter a 30 day grace period be allowed for all payments after which membership in the plan shall be cancelled.

REPORT NO. 24B

A TEN YEAR STUDY OF GROUP LIFE INSURANCE IN THE OHIO CONFERENCES OF THE EVANGELICAL UNITED BRETHREN CHURCH

Total number of men insured in the Conference to-date 544

Total Insurance coverage upon members $2,555,000.00

Conference	Members Enrolled	Total Premiums	Dividends Returned	Actual Cost	Claims Paid	Net Cost
MIAMI	95	65,418.21	25,314.21	40,104.00	41,000.00	.00
SANDUSKY	198	146,538.73	53,512.80	93,025.93	70,500.00	22,525.93
OHIO EAST	133	102,157.91	37,081.28	66,076.63	65,000.00	1,076.63
OHIO SOUTHEAST	118	82,053.64	30,016.99	52,036.65	35,000.00	17,036.65
	544	396,168.49	145,925.28	251,243.21	211,500.00	40,639.21

A. C. ZAGRAY, Administrator of Group Life Insurance Program

REPORT NO. 25

Report of Program Council

The Conference Program Council has held two meetings in order to begin its function as the programming agency of the Conference. The Council has been made up according to the denominational plan augmented by several persons selected by action of the Conference Council.

The personnel of the Council is as follows: Roger Brown, Rev. Paul Chastain, Rev. Gordon Core, Rev. Owen Delp, Rev. James Duvall, Rev. Gerald Geiger, Rev. Maurice Gribler, Rev. William Hensley, Rev. J. C. Herbert, Rev. Francis Huber, Mrs. L. L. Huffman, Rev. Charles Messmer, Dr. W. K. Messmer, Dr. Roy Miller, Rev. Walter Miranda, Rev. Louis Odon, Rev. Ed Pellett, Rev. Carl Robinson, Rev. Harvey Smith, Mrs. Clifford Stearns, Rev. William Worth.

Recognizing that most effective programming will not be "inflicted" from the top, but will rise out of local need and general goals, the Program Council will function as directed and has the intense desire to be of genuine service to the local church.

While we have not as yet completed our orientation to the new organization and procedure, we have decided to launch out on a series of program emphases which are intended to enhance the work of church in light of our theme for 1965 which is "Jesus Christ Renews His Church through Lay Participation and Vocational Dedication". In order to provide adequate planning time, we shall also begin to look toward the 1966 program as well as to outline activities for 1965.

Program Emphases

After careful consideration of the elements on program, we recommend that:

We invite the general staff of our church to provide us with counselors for a training session in preparation for the "Mission to North America" which will be held in 1966. This program will have three important phases. (1) A self study by each local church "to see its need and open way for action" (2) A 4-C mission denomination-wide (3) A mission of nationals from other countries to our churches. The plan is to bring a sizeable number of national leaders from our churches in other nations who will speak in several centers throughout our church. The message which they will bring will be one of evangelism and witness. We propose that this training session be held at Camp Miami on January 11-13, 1965 and that it be attended by three interpretors from each promotional group. The group leaders and two persons selected by the Ministerial groups will make up this contingent of interpretors. These interpretors will in turn train persons from the local churches on the programs of the whole church. We further propose that this training session be preceded on January 11 by a workshop on the "9 step plan" for all pastors.

Our churches observe Bible Week January 3-7 making best use of materials and plans available for local programming.

Our churches give special attention to the section describing "Outreaching Christians in the Guide for Adult Work 1964-65, pages 37-39.

We express appreciaton to our Bishop and Central Area Steering Committee for their leadership in the 1964 4-C Mission. We had a significant number of our people participating in this program of evangelism and an important segment of our churches felt anew their responsibility for the evangelistic task.

Our churches be encouraged to carry on its program of evangelism, using the methods recommended in the 4-C Mission where feasible. The use of pastors of our Conference as missioners is highly recommended. If a group or cluster of EUB churches can have some common training experiences and simultaneous services, this is highly desirable. The Conference

Commission on Evangelism will act as consultants to help carry out such plans as can be made by "natural groupings" of such churches.

Church School Superintendent Conference — January 16, 1965
Missionary Tour — November 7-21, 1965

Christian family and money management be the major stewardship emphasis for 1965. Materials available to strengthen this program include:

"The Spenders" ..... 16mm sound motion picture
"The Users" ..... 35mm filmstrip (sound)
Christian Family and Money Management Handbook
"How Do You Spend" ..... A leaflet
Other promotional materials such as flyers, inserts, posters available from the Department of Stewardship

The use of the motion picture will be begun by a showing to the pastors and wives in an informal grouping and later showings are to be conducted in local churches, but quite apart from actual solicitation of money or the conducting of financial canvass to reach projected budgets.

Careful consideration be given to effective use of the Every Member Enlistment Program and worked out by our General Department of Stewardship.

A mid-summer consultation be held for selected pastors and churches who have not had an organized program of stewardship. The invitations to participate will be issued by knowledge of the needs of the churches.

A pamphlet interpreting the conference and denominational use of the Christian Service Fund be developed.

Our churches be constantly aware of the statements of our church on social issues through the reiteration and publication of such statements. We urge our pastors to keep these matters before our people constantly.

Our churches be encouraged to carry on interracial and intercultural exchanges of programs, such as choir exchanges, choir concerts, fellowship dinners, church school class discussions, and other fellowship opportunities.

Our people be alert to the problems of prurient publications, movies, mass communications of all kinds and be made aware of the dangers involved in the undisciplined distributions of the same, as well as the real dangers of censorship. Where purveyors of publications, movies, or other means of communications have taken a stand against the distribution of objectional materials, they should be directly commended by the people of our churches.

We be aware of the implications of the Becker Amendment and register our conviction against this bill to our political representatives.

We continue to encourage our people to attend seminars and workshops on Christian Social Action.

We encourage our local church to hold Social Action Institutes at their own levels.

We implement the plans to hold two identical Children's Workers Institutes at Camp Miami on October 8-11, 1964 and October 7-10, 1965. We participate in Observation Schools to be held for children's workers on February 27, 1965 and March 6, 1965.

We participate in the Fall Institute programs of the Women's Society of World Service which are as follows: November 8—Camp Miami, November 9—Clifton, November 10—Beardshear, November 11—Arcanum, November 12—Rosewood, and November 13—Hamilton Ninth. Branch Convention—April 1965.

We invite our people to participate in the Billy Graham Central Ohio Crusade to be held in Columbus, Ohio on July 10-19, services to be held at Jet Stadium each night at 7:30 p.m.

We plan for a series of "church life" institutes to be held in the fall of 1965.

We make plans to participate in the 1965 summer activities programs at Camp Miami as outlined below:

Senior Camp	June 14-19
Junior "A"	June 21-26
Junior "B"	June 27-July 2
Family Camp "A"	July 2-4
Junior High "A"	July 5-10
Junior "C"	July 12-17
Junior High "B" (Tent)	July 12-17
Junior High "C"	July 19-24
Junior High "D" (Tent)	July 19-24
Freshman-Sophomore (Tent)	July 19-24
Junior "D"	July 26-31
Junior High "E"	July 26-31
Senior High (Tent)	July 26-31
Laymen Family (Tent)	July 17-19
Junior "E"	August 1-6
Family "B"	August 6-8
Music Camp	August 8-12
Family "C"	August 13-15
OYYA	August 6-8
Minister's Family	August 15-17
Kampferencee	August 17-20
Family "D"	August 20-22
Family "E"	September 3-6
Tent-Trailer Camp	August 6-8 (10 units)
Tent-Trailer Camp	August 20-22 (10 units)
Tent-Trailer Camp	August 10-12 (10 units)
Golden Age	September 8-10

These youth activities be included in local church planning:

Fine Arts Festival	January 17
Kirkentag	May 2
Recruitment Seminar	April 25
District youth rallies as planned by the districts	

We request our local churches to make use of, on a consultative basis, the persons in our Conference who have special training and for responsibilities in certain program areas, such as evangelism stewardship, social action, christian education, and missions. This kind of consultative assistance is provided on a somewhat limited basis and without additional costs to the local churches.

The Program Council be empowered to implement the above activities and plans and be charged with the responsibility of outlining the program emphases for 1966.

Mens Congress — February 20, 1965 — Camp Miami
Conference EUB Mens Rally — June 7, 1965 — Camp Miami
Central Area EUB Mens Congress — September 24-26, 1965 — Camp St. Marys

C. C. MESSMER

REPORT NO. 26

Service Record

The Rev. Earl Stockslager served the following charges in the Ohio Miami Conference:

Antioch and Pyrmont
Columbus Avenue and Bowlusville
New Madison and Savona
Lewisburg and West Sonora
Liberty
Cherry Grove and Five Mile
Miami Chapel
Xenia
Ginghamsburg
Hamilton Ninth

The Rev. William I. Comfort served the following charges in the Ohio Miami Conference:

Bowlusville Drexel
Assistant Pastor 1st Church Dayton
Potsdam Englewood
Caylor Chapel—Abbotsville
Otterbein Home
Hartford Street
Farmersville—Johnsville
Chaplain U. S. Army
North Bend
Pleasant Ridge—Jacksonburg
Troy Street
Arlington

REPORT NO. 27

Report of The Conference Board of Trustees

This report is a summary of the action taken by the Board of Trustees of the Ohio Miami Conference Year 1963.

ORGANIZATION — The following members were elected to serve as Officers of the Board of Trustees:

President	Harvey Hammink
Vice President	Hubert Fellers
Secretary	Carl B. Eschbach
Treasurer	Wendell Hohn
Representative to Conference Council	Carl B. Eschbach

ALEY CHURCH — It was voted to purchase the property located at 444 Shady Lane, Knollwood, Greene County, to be used as a parsonage for the Aley Church. The title of the property will be held in the name of the Conference Board of Trustees. Cost not to exceed $18,000.00.

It was voted to authorize the President of the Board and the Director of Development to purchase this property under the most favorable terms possible and authorization is hereby granted to these officers to borrow funds from the Conference Church Extension Fund for this purpose, if necessary. Payment for the purchase of this property is to be paid by the Conference Board of Missions.

It was voted to authorize the Board of Trustees of the Aley Church to increase their loan limit up to $25,000. This additional money amounting to approximately $1,500 is to be used for current expenses.

It was voted to authorize the Director of Development to spend up to $75.00 on needed repair of the Aley Parsonage.

BEARDSHEAR CHURCH — It was voted to loan the Board of Trustees of the Beardshear Church, $28,000, from the Church Extension Fund. This loan is for two years. Interest at 5½% is to be paid monthly—this amounts to $128.34. The principle is due at the end of two years.

BEAVERTOWN CHURCH — It was voted to authorize the Board of Trustees of the Beavertown Church to sell a piece of property to the south of the present building consisting of 90 feet frontage on Wilmington Avenue and a depth of 150 feet.

It was voted to authorize the Board of Trustees of the Beavertown Church to sell a piece of property approximately 200 feet frontage on Devon Avenue and a depth of approximately 200 feet, retaining sufficient land for an adequate driveway from their parking lot to Devon Avenue.

It was voted to loan from the Conference Church Extension Fund to the Board of Trustees of the Beavertown Church the sum of $18,000.00 for a period of 1 year at 5½% interest.

It was voted to authorize the Board of Trustees of the Beavertown Church to purchase the real estate immediately to the north of the present property called the Belt Property on Wilmington Avenue for the sum of $18,000.00.

BELMONT CHURCH — It was voted to authorize the Board of Trustees of the Belmont Church to purchase the property adjacent to the church property on the north on Bellaire Avenue for the sum of $29,000.00.

It was voted to authorize the Board of Trustees of the Belmont Church to borrow the sum of $29,000.00 from the Montgomery County Building & Loan.

CAMP MIAMI — It was voted to authorize the President and Secretary of the Board of Trustees to sign the necessary papers involved in borrowing $25,000.00 from the Third National Bank and Trust Company, Dayton, Ohio. These funds are to be used in the Camp Miami Improvement Program, Germantown, Ohio. Interest at 4¾%.

It was voted to authorize the President and Secretary of the Board of Trustees to sign the necessary papers to give an easement to William Stiver from his property to the Farmersville Pike at Camp Miami.

CHEVIOT CHURCH — It was voted to grant permission to the Board of Trustees of the Cheviot Church, Cincinnati, Ohio to mortgage their property in connection with arranging a loan of $200,000.00, at 5¾% interest for 20 years with a Building and Loan Association.

It was voted to authorize the Board of Trustees of the Cheviot Church to sell the church parsonage located at 3851 Lovell Avenue, Cincinnati 11, Ohio subject to approval of the local Council of Administration and the congregation.

CLOUGH CHURCH — It was voted to authorize the Board of Trustees of the Clough Church to sell the following parcels of land from the newly acquired Weil property located on Clough Pike:

1. To D. Schneider a plot of land consisting of 6.967 acres for the sum of $17,417.50.
2. To B. Jackson a plot of land consisting of .87 acres (150x250) for the sum of $6,000.00.
3. To Oliver and Ganelle Werner a plot of land consisting of 1.08 acres (190x250) for the sum of $8,000.00.

CONFERENCE OFFICE — It was voted to authorize the purchase of an adding machine for the Conference Office.

It was voted to authorize the renting of a room in the Conference Office Building to Dr. Heck for $25.00 monthly.

It was voted to authorize the renting of a room in the office building to the Reverend Thomas Kalshoven for $50.00 monthly. This amount is to be divided, $25.00 to the Conference and $25.00 to the United Seminary.

It was voted to accept the kind offer of Mr. W. O. Clark of a safe to be used at the Conference Office and the Director of Development was authorized to arrange for transportation.

FORT McKINLEY CHURCH — It was voted to authorize the Board of Trustees of the Fort McKinley Church to borrow from the Montgomery County Building and Loan, Dayton, Ohio, the amount of $125,000.00 for ten years. To be repaid at the rate of $1,250.00 monthly.

HYDE PARK — It was voted to refer to the Director with power to proceed and collect the second mortgage we hold against the property at 3618 Amberson Avenue, Cincinnati 8, Ohio.

JACKSONBURG CHURCH — It was voted to loan the Board of Trustees of the Jacksonburg Church, $20,000.00, from the Church Extension Fund.

It was voted to loan the Board of Trustees of the Jacksonburg Church the sum of $10,000 from the Conference Church Extension Fund. This loan is for ten years. The Board of Missions to pay the interest for the first five years and the church to pay principal and interest during the second five years.

LAGONDA CHURCH — It was voted to loan to the Board of Trustees of the Lagonda Church the sum of $4.000.00 from the Church Extension Fund. This loan is to be for four years at 5½%. Monthly payments $93.03.

It was voted to loan the Board of Trustees of the Springfield Lagonda Church the sum of $3,000.00 from the Conference Church Extension Fund. This loan is for four years at 5½% and is to be repaid (principal and interest) on a monthly basis.

MIDDLETOWN — It was voted to authorize the Board of Trustees of the Middletown Church to purchase the property located at 1515 First Avenue, Middletown, Ohio.

It was voted to authorize the Board of Trustees of the Middletown Church to increase their loan not in excess of $15,900.00 from the First National Bank, Middletown, Ohio.

MONTGOMERY ROAD PROPERTY — It was voted to validate the telephone vote authorizing the sale of this property to Dean G. Moe and Margaret K. Moe and to authorize the President and Secretary of Board to execute the proper Deed of sale completing the transaction.

It was voted to pay $10,045.74 to the Conference Church Extension Fund from the money received from the sale of Montgomery Road property.

PERMANENT FUND — It was voted to invest in the Conference Church Extension Fund $1,200.00 of the interest earned up to December 31, 1963. The total interest amounted to $1,212.48. The Permanent Fund now totals $25,470.00.

ROSEWOOD — It was voted to authorize the Board of Trustees of the Rosewood Church to borrow $25,000 from the First Central National Bank of St. Paris, Ohio, at 6%, on a ten year repayment schedule.

VANDALIA CHURCH — It was voted to loan the Board of Trustees of the Vandalia Church the sum of $32,000.00 from the Conference Church Extension Fund. This loan is for ninety days at 5½% interest.

VERONA CHURCH — It was voted to loan the Board of Trustees of the Verona Church, subject to the approval of the local Council of Administration and the congregation, from the Conference Church Extension Fund the sum of $12,000.00 at 5½% interest. The loan to be paid at the rate of $225.00 monthly including interest and principal.

WEAVER STATION — It was voted to authorize the Director of Development to sell the Weaver Station property and to remove this building.

Respectfully submitted,
CARL B. ESCHBACH,
Secretary, Board of Trustees

REPORT NO. 28

Annual Report — Ohio Council of Churches

1963-1964

GROWTH and CHANGE — These are days of rapid and bewildering change throughout our Ohio Community. The evidences are legion: the startling explosion of population in some areas, with an equally disturbing decline in numbers and resources in others; the uprooting of many thousands of persons set adrift in their search for employment and shelter; the increase in alcoholism, mental illness and delinquency; and the growing number of persons with no clear sense of God or of their own destiny.

FORWARD! — At the heart of all change is the call of God to His people to go forward in faith and courage—to provide the moral leadership that will bring out of change the new and creative goals that God wills for His children. In every enterprise, the journey forward must be taken one step at a time. Here are some of the steps which our churches are taking cooperatively through the OHIO COUNCIL OF CHURCHES.

MIGRANT MINISTRY — Beginning in 1964 year 'round staff leadership is being provided for the ministry within ten Ohio counties to the thousands of agricultural migrants who face loneliness and hardship in order to care for and harvest the foods that sustain life for us all. This new leadership will not only mean a more adequately planned summer ministry but also assistance for those migrants remaining through the winter and facing difficult problems of adjustment.

COMMUNICATION — The person giving leadership in the migrant ministry (the Rev. M. Donald Pendell) will also serve in launching a state-wide cooperative program in communication through the mass media. In reality, this program began in September of 1963 with a series of regional workshops in religious programming for radio and television. It will now move forward with assistance made available throughout the year to denominations, local councils of churches and ministerial associations towards a more adequate communication of the message of the churches through the mass media to the hundreds of thousands of persons now reached. Involved also will be a wider communication of significant events in the ecumenical movement in Ohio.

RESEARCH AND PLANNING — If we are to solve the problems of change and move wisely and quickly to provide the churches needed to minister to a growing Ohio, trained leadership in research and planning is a must. At the state level, this ministry began with the establishment of the Southwest Ohio Regional Church Planning Board with the Rev. Thomas N. Kalshoven as Director. This agency is now serving a ten county area in which several hundred acres of land are being bulldozed each week to make way for new industries, homes, schools and highways. During 1964, a second person fully trained in research is being added to the team in order to extend to other areas. This service so vital toward finding the answer to the problems and needs that confront our churches in an era of change.

TOWN AND COUNTRY — Already giving leadership in research and planning in the rural areas of Ohio is the Council's Town and Country Department. Just completed is a significant four-county study

which has thrown into stark relief the problems confronting families, young people and churches in an area in which employment and material resources have declined. The key to necessary action lies in the faithful response of our churches to the challenge which is brought into clear focus by studies such as these in our changing Ohio.

RESPONSIBILITY FOR YOUTH

Supreme Court decisions on Bible reading and prayer in the public schools and the failure of our churches to minister adequately to the increasing tide of young people within Ohio have led to a number of forward steps in the Council's ministry of Christian Education. One of these has been the sponsorship of a series of experimental laboratories in "listening evangelism" designed to train adult leaders of youth in the use of group process as a means for the revitalization of the church's ministry to youth. Another has been the production of a study guide on Religion and Public Education designed to help communities adjust to the realities of the Supreme Court decisions and see more clearly the responsibility of church and home for the religious nurture of our children.

WEEKDAY RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

Related to this thrust is the "forward look" in weekday religious education. Our Director is sharing in the development of a curriculum that will implement new insights into the function of weekday classes in relating the child's faith to his public school experience. The observance of the 50th anniversary of weekday classes has meant not only a fresh recognition of the worth of this program but also an awareness of the need for exploring other ways in which religious experiences on weekdays may relate faith more vitally to the daily life of boys and girls.

RELIGION AND RACE

In the area of race relationships, the tides of change are moving relentlessly on the side of a justice and freedom too long denied. If our churches are to overcome the racial barriers within their own life and assume their rightful leadership in the cause of brotherhood and equal opportunity, they must move forward in unhesitating obedience to the One in whom there can be neither race nor class. Here United Church Women have given leadership through programs in interracial home visitation and action for justice in housing, employment and education. Our Public Affairs Department has sponsored a series of workshops on civil rights. A new Commission on Religion and Race is (1) developing community self-studies that will confront our churches with the realities of discrimination, and (2) organizing task forces to assist in their solution.

FAITH AND ORDER

Among our churches are other barriers sometimes as divisive as racial prejudice. Faith and order dialogue in both state and local community has proved its worth as a means toward unity with theological integrity. In the 1964 Ohio Faith and Order Conference church leaders have explored the deeper meanings of baptism which make us one family in Christ and have also considered the implications of this sacrament with regard to action in the crucial social issues of our time.

OUR MISSION IN OHIO

A major emphasis of the Council in 1964 will be the consideration in depth of the basic mission of the Church in Ohio and the relationship of this mission to our denominational and interdenominational responsibility in community and state. This the theme for the 38 ecumenical regional conference in September.

A WORLD PERSPECTIVE

Our mission in Ohio must always be seen against the background of world needs. This wider perspective has been given us by United Church Women through the World Day of Prayer and the focus of World Community Day on Africa and Brazil, by the Prince of Peace program with its week long Peace Education Seminar in New York and by our CWS-CROP program with its ministry of food and clothing for the world's hungry and homeless and its emphasis on self-help

programs. Best known among the latter is the Akkar Area Cooperative which in overcoming poverty has been a truly Christian answer to communism.

INSTITUTIONAL MINISTRY

Beyond these forward steps lie other needs that are largely unmet. One of these is the need to fulfill together the responsibility of the churches toward the ministry to the approximately fifty thousand persons cared for in our state hospitals and corrective institutions. A vital step in this ministry ought to be the provision through the Ohio Council of Churches of a trained supervisory chaplain who would undergird the work of the limited number of chaplains now provided by the state with (1) needed in-service training opportunities, and (2) the enlistment of resources for their ministry (devotional materials, organs, etc.) He might also train volunteers to serve in institutions which do not have employed chaplains and assist churches in developing a ministry to persons returning from mental hospital or prison and needing acceptance, moral support and aid in finding employment and shelter.

INCREASED SUPPORT NEEDED

If forward steps already undertaken are to be sustained and the proposed work in the institutional ministry launched it is imperative that denominations move forward in 1965 and succeeding years to provide *the new minimum goal for giving of 11c per member per year.* Material resources and spiritual concern must move forward together if we are to be faithful in the shared mission to which God has called us in this great commonwealth of Ohio.

JOHN C. WILSON

REPORT NO. 29

A Report to Ohio Miami Conference

Bishop Herrick, Superintendent Messmer, Pastors, Delegates and friends of Ohio Miami Conference:

It is a pleasure to report to you on the work of Otterbein College.

Enrollment

This school year, 1963-64, saw the largest total enrollment in the history of Otterbein College. Total cumulative enrollment was 1309 with 716 men and 593 women. Evening classes enrolled an additional 212 students.

The largest graduating class in the history of Otterbein—242—received degrees on May 31st.

New Buildings

During the past year, a new four-story women's dormitory was completed and occupied by Junior and Senior women at the beginning of the second semester. The new dormitory, located on the corner of Grove and Home Streets, is named Mayne Hall. Mr. Horace L. Mayne of Columbus, Ohio, and a graduate of the class of 1913, agreed to give the college $200,000 to name the new dormitory in memory of his mother, Mrs. Hannah Lambert Mayne, of the class of 1890. The new dormitory, with a capacity of 144, was dedicated on Saturday, May 30.

The new Campus Center Building will be completed this summer and ready for use in September. The dining hall, bookstore, student lounges and recreational facilities will be housed in this building.

The Lambert Hall auditorium was renovated during the past year, thanks to a bequest of $25,000 from the late Dr. Herbert E. Hall, a 1902 graduate of Otterbein. A new concrete floor was laid, wood paneling placed on the walls, new heating, ventilating and lighting system installed, elimination of the posts under the balcony and new upholstered seats installed. A glass front door into Lambert Hall and a new door into the auditorium was also completed.

Herbert Hall Memorial Auditorium has a seating capacity of 170. Dedication services were held Sunday, October 26th.

Financial Campaign

Our financial campaign, "Focus on Achievement" to raise one million dollars for a new science building, addition to library and endowment funds was over-subscribed. Total cash and pledges amounted to $1,358,760.00. We are deeply indebted to the 1,444 ministers and laymen of E.U.B. Church who pledged $103,789 of this amount.

We will continue to accept gifts for the Focus on Achievement Program. In fact, additional gifts are needed for two reasons: (1) the original estimates on building costs were too low, and (2) the $150,000 designated for endowment is a very inadequate amount for that purpose.

Conference Giving

You will recall that Otterbein is asking each conference in its constituency, to set its goal $1.00 per member, per year. One-half of the amount raised is to be used for the operating expenses of the college and the other half is to be used to provide scholarship aid to E.U.B. students attending Otterbein.

Last year, the various conferences contributed $32,238. The Ohio Miami Conference ranked third in total giving with $5,811.57. This provided every E.U.B. student from your conference attending Otterbein, with a scholarship of $35.00. If the dollar-per-member goal had been reached, each student would have received $190.00. We urge each church to participate in this program this year.

New Chaplain

The Rev. Kenneth H Pohly, pastor of The Masters' Evangelical United Brethren Church, Euclid, Ohio, will be our new Director of Religious Activities beginning July 1st.

Admissions

We are completely filled for next fall in the admission of both freshmen men and women. We urge you to encourage your high school seniors this fall to make application for admission by December 1st at the latest.

In Conclusion

Otterbein College is devoted primarily to a program of Christian liberal arts education. Our objectives as stated are as follows:

"Cherishing and creating the Christian and democratic traditions in a living world society, Otterbein holds to her major purpose: to discover, to motivate, and to train intellectual leaders in every student generation for Christian service in church and society."

Our church colleges exist to serve the church and cannot live apart from church support. Pray that the entire membership of the church may see how essential our colleges are for the future of our denomination and that every member may see his responsibility for keeping our colleges strong.

Respectfully submitted,

ARTHUR L. SCHULTZ
Director of Church Relations

REPORT NO. 30

Annual Report of The Women's Auxiliary

of

United Theological Seminary

Ohio Miami Conference — June 4, 1964

To Bishop Herrick, Superintendent Messmer,

Member and Friends of Ohio Miami Conference:

The Women's Auxiliary of United Theological Seminary in the Ohio Miami Conference is happy to report its achievement for the past year, the 31st of its life. Our good record of last year has led to a still better one in 1964. The gifts of our women have produced a record total of $2,032.27. This is an increase of $351.66. The Treasurer's report which shows this in detail is attached. We have maintained third place among all the conferences supporting United Theological Seminary, being surpassed only by the Pennsylvania Conference and the Eastern Conference.

The excellent result of this year is a testimony to the increased interest of the women and men too throughout our conference. The leadership of the key women and the pastors in the local churches has been more spirited and more diligent than ever before. The Auxiliary is especially grateful to the officers who have served so effectively this year. These ladies are: Mrs. Henry Brooks, Vice President; Mrs. Charles Ruth, secretary; and Mrs. Raymond Creager, Treasurer. We also want to give our appreciation to Mrs. L. L. Huffman, Area Director of our Central Area and to Mrs. Floyd Mevis, national President of the Women's Auxiliary.

One-half of all monies given is used for the maintenance of our two dormitories. The other half is used for long-range projects. Our present long-range project for the conference is the completion of the sacristy in Breyfogel Chapel at a cost of $2,500. We now need only $665.48 to complete this project. The next long-range project which we hope to assume is the complete refurbishing of two apartments in Fout Hall. This will be the fourth major project we have accepted. The other three have been: furnishing of the office in the new dormitory, furnishing of a faculty office, and the present one of completing the furnishing of the sacristy. The national Auxiliary will provide for the renovation of all the other apartments in Fout Hall (our oldest dormitory) as the long-range project for all the conferences.

The appreciation of the Seminary for the support given by the Auxiliary is often expressed by the officers of the Seminary and by the students and their families. In all of this. we are deeply grateful to President Roberts for the inspiring encouragement he gives to the Auxiliary continuously.

The women of the conference count it a special privilege to support and work for the United Seminary. We of the Auxiliary believe that our Seminary is second only to the churches themselves in the continuing life and work of our denomination. We ask for your prayers and your support. Thank you Bishop Herrick and Superintendent Messmer.

Respectfully submitted,
VIOLET BIELSTEIN (Mrs. Clyde H.)

REPORT NO. 31

Report of The University Pastor

Sixty years ago, eighty per cent of all students were in church related colleges— today eighty per cent of our students are in state universities. We are rapidly approaching the day of large campuses, composed entirely of graduate students. In modern university libraries, at least 50% of the knowledge is only twenty years old. Much knowledge is becoming obsolescent at an astounding rate in our day. These are some of the statistical statements

that indicate the tremendous revolution in higher education today. Our church in its campus ministry is trying to be effective in this changing situation. It is a challenging task.

New things are emerging at various rates on the Ohio campuses where we are involved in a ministry. Summary statements only can be included here, but local staff who are present at this semi-annual meeting can fill in details.

Local Campuses

Bowling Green State University: The new building says a great deal in terms of the new image and life this work is taking. More people are involved in many ways in this ministry.

Ohio University: Here our parish is working more into the life of the university, and some exciting things are happening in the life of U.C.C.F. (e.g., Probe, etc.). We need to bring these two closer together.

Central State: Here an emerging U.C.C.F. has just called a full-time Campus Minister for next year. Relations with the administration are excellent.

University of Akron: A vital ministry is being conducted here under able leadership with some limitations in structure (Council of Churches). Good relations with the university exist.

University of Cincinnati: A rapidly growing U.C.C.F. is apparent. This needs to be encouraged by us and the new hopes and plans for a united ministry need to be supported.

Kent: Here we are presently without a staff person, though good relations with the university have been built by the last minister. It is integral to life on the campus, though no student organization exists.

Miami University: The U.C.F. here now owns its own building and is developing a wider and integral program in the academic life. It is also developing closer relationships with the independent Presbyterian ministry.

O.S.U.: We are dealing today with some issues from O.S.U. Our committed life together in U.C.C.F. has permitted and encouraged the new staff assignments that will release some to do new work and research in the ministry. (e.g., faculty work and graduate students) The shared life in our center is working very smoothly and effectively. We are maintaining members while deepening the quality of involvement by students.

People are changed basically by the experiences that happen to them. They grow into Christian responsibility through counseling and other experiences that provide interpretation of Christian love. A dramatic way this occured at O.S.U. this spring was during a workcamp at Holy Week when 19 persons spent their spring vacation in the Kentucky mountains, learning about conditions while aiding two churches (Churches of the Brethren) near Red Bird with maintenance work. The team corrected a water drainage problem, built a fence, and helped construct a new cross at Camp Redbird. This task involved carrying two beams of locust up a steep mountain at Queendale. Seven men put their shoulders under the beam to carry it. Spread out over the 38 foot length, we found that at times, when a man would pass a dip in the ground level, he needed more to hang on than he was really able to carry. At the same time, the burden got heavier for the others. They learned three basic truths in that experience of hard work, however: (1) that there are times in Christian community when we need to be carried along in our weakness by the strength of the rest of the community; (2) that this happens to each person at some time; (3) that when we stopped moving forward with the load, heavier became the load for each person.

These are fundamental lessons to be learned in Christian living and in our ministry one to another.

NORMAN SNOOK

REPORT NO. 32

Report of Women's Society of World Service

Bishop Herrick, Conference Superintendent Messmer, members and friends of Ohio Miami Conference:

It is a real privilege for me to bring greetings from the members of the Ohio Miami Branch of the Women's Society of World Service. Knowing that time is at a premium when it comes to annual Conference, we will make this report brief.

The statistics I am reporting do not tell a true story, for they are for nine months instead of the full year. This is necessitated by the change over to the calendar year as the fiscal year. At the present time we have ninety-three local societies with a membership of almost 4300. This is a slight decrease over last year. Our giving to missions for the nine month period was approximately $28,000.00. The challenge we have as a Branch is seeking to enlist the more than 5000 women who were reported as potential members.

In September our Branch Officers and those of the Ohio Sandusky Branch will meet at Camp St. Marys for a two day leadership workshop and spiritual retreat. We are hoping that out of this experience will come new skills, deeper concerns, greater determination and more complete dedication in enlisting more women of this conference in the total program of the church.

Fall Institutes this year will be combined with training for local officers. The tentative schedule is as follows:

Sunday, Nov. 8—Camp Miami, afternoon and evening
Monday, Nov. 9—Southwest and Southeast District—Clifton
Tuesday, Nov. 10—Central District—Beardshear
Wednesday, Nov. 11—Northwest District—Arcanum
Thursday, Nov. 12—Northeast District—Rosewood
Friday, Nov. 13—West District—Hamilton Ninth Street

These meetings are still in the planning stage and we may find it necessary to have at least one night meeting in addition to those listed for the convenience of those who work.

We should like to express our gratitude to Dr. Messmer for his counsel; Rev. Charles Messmer for his co-operation in innumerable ways throughout the year, but especially at Branch Convention time; and to the host of ministers who stand behind us in the local churches, and also come to Camp Miami and help prepare and serve the excellent meals throughout our convention.

While in Southern Rhodesia this past winter our guide was an African youth in his early twenties. One day he took us to see the townships where Africans are forced to live by the government that is all white. The conditions were appalling. As we rode along he told of his friend who was in the United States attending college, and sponsored by a Protestant mission. He added, "There are very few Africans in my country that are privileged to get more than the simplest of education, unless they get it through a mission school. Later as we were about to leave his country and knowing nothing of our abilities, he said, "You should stay here and teach us." The desire for education is so strong in the newly emerging nations of the world, and the opportunities for one is so remote, unless the church is there. This is no time for us to "let down" or merely "hold the line"—we must somehow find ways to reach the unenlisted and revitalize our membership, inspiring them to do greater things for Christ and the church.

We are anxious to assume our responsibilities not only to the far corners of the earth, but in our local church and conference also; and we pledge you our support and our prayers.

Thank you very much.

M. AGNES HUFFMAN (Mrs. L. L.)
President, Ohio Miami Branch W.S.W.S.

REPORT NO. 33

Resolution

WHEREAS, the Ohio Miami Conference usually meets only in annual session, and

WHEREAS, in the interim it is often necessary for the proper, efficient and satisfactory functioning of the work of the conference, to make plans for the conference and/or to take official action for the conference, and

WHEREAS, the Conference Council of Administration is representative of all areas and interests of the conference,

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the Ohio Miami Conference in session at Dayton, Ohio, this 5th Day of June 1964, authorize the Council of Administration of said conference to act for and in the name of said conference in the interim of its annual sessions.

WILLIAM K. MESSMER

REPORT NO. 34

Greetings Received

June 3, 1964

Bishop Paul M. Herrick,
Ohio Miami Conference

Greetings to our brethren in Christ. May God's grace abound in your Kingdom work

Pacific Northwest Conference
Bishop W. MAYNARD SPARKS
Secretary, REV. W. A. BACKER

June 3, 1964

Bishop Paul M. Herrick,
Ohio Miami Conference

Christian greetings from Vancouver British Columbia. Thirty Eighth Annual Session acknowledges your message. Doxology. Please read second Corinthians chapter four verses seven to eighteen in the new English Bible translation.

Northwest Canada Conference
Bishop H. R. HEININGER
Secretary, A. W. RIEGEL

Rev. Emerson D. Bragg
Ohio Miami Conference

June 5, 1964

Greetings to Ohio Miami Conference from the El Rito New Mexico church project. A great group of E.U.B.'s from all over the U.S. have already changed rubble to the beginnings of a new church.

MR. and MRS. HUBERT FELLERS

Greetings Sent

June 3, 1964

Greetings. May God's blessings attend your deliberations.

Ohio Miami Conference
PAUL M. HERRICK, Bishop
EMERSON D. BRAGG, Secretary

June 4, 1964

Dear Brother in Christ,

It is my privilege to be the spokesman of the Ohio Miami Conference in conveying to you our sense of comradeship in Christian Service, as well as our concern for your physical and spiritual well-being, including that of your loved ones.

We are scrry that you found it impossible, because of circumstances, to be in attendance at our conference session this year. Because of your long and faithful service and attendance we know how keenly you feel a loss in enrichment because of this fact. Please be assured that our loss in the lack of your presence and influence in the confrence is even keener.

Please be assured of our continued prayers and interest. May God continue to richly bless you and yours.

Sincerely,

EMERSON D. BRAGG, Secretary

This letter was sent to the foliowing:

Dr. and Mrs. Joe Hendrix

Rev. Nichols

Edgar Schrader

E. S. Comrey

Leo Venatta

Harvey Clark

Ella Hamilton

Henry Snapp

A. S. Wolfe

Statistical Report

Prepared By
REV. RALPH TINSLEY, B.D
Conference Statistician

Northwest Group

Northeast Group

Average Attendance			Children								Youth						
Sunday Morning Worship Service	Sunday Evening Worship Service	Mid-Week Service	Sunday School Church Officers	Nursery	Kindergarten	Primary	Juniors	Teachers	Enrolled in Pastor's Classes	Boys and Girls Fellowship Hour Average Attendance	Junior High	Senior High	Teachers	Enrolled In Pastor's Classes	Junior High	Senior High	
43	.....	.....	6	6	3	3	4	2	.....	.....	3	4	1	.....	.....	.....	1
42	.....	.....	9	6	4	6	8	2	.....	12	6	5	2	.....	.....	.....	2
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128	.....	14	4	7	19	25	24	8	19	.....	15	29	3	10	.....	24	14
109	.....	.....	4	6	2	32	37	8	.....	.....	13	15	2	7	.....	28	15
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240	.....	3	4	31	14	38	30	16	9	22	30	25	3	4	6	5	27
86	.....	10	2	2	6	12	15	5	.....	.....	15	16	2	5	10	5	28
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54	.....	.....	15	14	8	16	14	.....	19	.....	17	14	.....	.....	.....	.....	31
43	.....	.....	10	3	5	9	20	.....	8	.....	12	13	.....	.....	.....	.....	32
3342	.....	**117**	**224**	**354**	**343**	**556**	**631**	**203**	**163**	**124**	**498**	**551**	**67**	**141**	**168**	**226**	
63	.....	.....	4	7	9	14	13	4	6	.....	21	10	2	.....	13	.....	79
80	.....	4	6	15	14	17	24	4	7	.....	22	16	2	14	6	6	80
134	.....	.....	4	24	15	24	20	9	7	.....	15	6	2	.....	.....	12	81
68	.....	7	5	5	5	8	7	8	9	6	5	2	4	.....	.....	.....	82
277	.....	12	44	25	40	80	77	.....	.....	.....	86	25	.....	32	24	.....	83
55	.....	.....	2	10	.....	7	8	5	.....	.....	.....	14	1	.....	.....	20	84
67	.....	.....	3	.....	16	9	7	3	.....	.....	10	12	2	.....	.....	.....	85
184	41	11	8	20	20	28	22	10	11	.....	29	20	4	8	.....	.....	86
104	.....	.....	20	3	15	25	15	6	8	10	15	35	4	15	.....	.....	87
144	.....	16	3	9	27	31	34	9	14	25	23	18	4	.....	14	8	88
1176	**41**	**50**	**99**	**118**	**161**	**243**	**227**	**58**	**62**	**41**	**226**	**158**	**25**	**69**	**57**	**46**	

MINISTRY AND CHARGES — CHRISTIAN LIFE AND WORK

CHARGE	CHURCH	PASTOR	Members Reported at Close of Last Year	Gained By: Confession of Faith	Gained By: Certificate of Transfer	Gained By: Certificate of Memb.	Gained By: Total Gain	Lost By: Death	Lost By: Certificate of Transfer	Lost By: Certificate of Memb.	Lost By: Withdrawn without Certificate	Lost By: Other Ways	Lost By: Total Loss	Net Gain	Net Loss	Present Membership	Non-resident Members	Members Under 13 Years of Age	Conversions	Reclamations	Baptisms and Dedications (all ages)	Number of Enrolled Tithers	Number of Contributing Units	Number of Families Member	Number of Families Non-Member	Number of Church and Home Subscriptions
NORTHWEST GROUP																										
1 Abbotsville	Abbotsville	Harold Messmer	81							1	1		2		2	79										
2 Caylor Chapel	Caylor Chapel	Harold Messmer	82					1			1		2		2	80	13							49		37
3 Antioch	Antioch	Forrest Garner	478	5	3	7	15	3	2	2			7	8		486	36		5		5		170	240	24	179
4 Arcanum	Arcanum	Paul Chastain	418	21	5	10	36	5	6	8			19	17		435	36		21	2	14	38		200	20	175
5 Arlington	Arlington	W. I. Comfort	198	4	3	4	11	1	1	3			5	6		204	38		4		5		75	70	10	
6 Brookville	Brookville	Harry Deaven	595	16	4	4	24	11	4	7	17		39		15	580	48	1	16		10	14	262	315	20	251
7 Castine	Castine	Arden Mercier	106	1			1	1	1	1			3		2	104	15		1		5		43	68	15	72
8 Yankeetown	Yankeetown	Arden Mercier	85							2			2		2	83	40			1			18	47	5	
9 Clayton	Clayton	Everett Aldstadt	350	8	4	1	13	5	2	2	1		10	3		353	38		8	1	5	9	140	164	29	137
10 Eaton	Eaton	Harley Brown	197	2	7		9	4		2			6	3		200	30		2	4	8	9			25	20
11 Eldorado	Eldorado	Jack Moyer	130	1		1	2							2		132	32		1	1			38	84	19	65
12 Englewood	Englewood	Gordon Core	451	1	11	4	16	1	4	7	9		21		5	446	10	6	1		2	15	217	169	51	169
13 Greenville	Greenville	John McRoberts	625	27	16	14	57	8	3	1	3		15	42		667	55		27		29	59	260	380	15	269
14 Ithaca	Ithaca	Raymond Merz	212	16	4	1	21	2	5	4	2		13	8		220	17	2	16	21	10	6	163	120	15	90
15 Lewisburg	Lewisburg	J. P. Hendrix	318	5	2		7	4	1	6	14		25		18	300	49		5							
16 Nashville	Nashville	Earl Toy	151	9	2		11	1		3	18		22		11	140	11		9		7		35	72	1	54
17 New Hope	New Hope	Donald Van Kirk	160					1		1	1		3		3	157	20	1				6		93	12	4
18 New Madison	New Madison	W. W. Arnold	364	20	5		25	5	3	5	2		15	10		374	22	10	20	5	16			148	51	118
19 Otterbein	Otterbein	Myron Ketron	133		1		1	7	2				9		8	125	19				4					10
20 Savona	Savona	Myron Ketron	110		1		1	1					1			110	16				1	6				15
21 Phillipsburg	Phillipsburg	Eugene Griffith	288	2	8		10	2	1				3	7		295	43	2	2	2	15	15	120	160	100	25
22 Potsdam	Potsdam	Francis Bach	160	10		1	11		1				1	10		170	7	1	10	24	14		108	106	15	9
23 Pyrmont	Pyrmont	Vernon Denny	166	2	2		4	1					1	3		169	27		2				67	67	10	53
24 Trinity Circuit	Hiestand	Robert Anderson	60					1				1	2		2	58	31									
25	Rose Hill	Robert Anderson	90					2		4			6		6	84					1					
26	Yorkshire	Robert Anderson	46													46					1					
27 Union City	Union City	Frank E. Robinson	416	18	2	2	22	7	3	3	17	1	31		9	407	40	8	18		13	20	200	210	80	7
28 Verona	Verona	Ivan E. Jenkins	226	8		1	9	8	8	2	3	1	22		13	213	32	5	8	1	7	10	75	110	12	90
29 Ware's Chapel	Ware's Chapel	Charles Ruth	195							1		1	2		2	193	30						55	90	9	68
30 Waterhouse	Waterhouse	Fred Luzader	61					1	2				3		3	58	5	1				9	19	34	6	
31 West Manchester	West Manchester	Thomas Webb	150	7			7							7		157	31	2	7		5	25				51
32 West Sonora	West Sonora	Ambrose Aegerter	60	10	2	1	13	2					2	11		71	5	3	10		15					
Totals Northwest Group			7162	193	82	51	326	85	49	65	89	4	292	137 34	103	7196	796	42	193	62	192	241	2065	2996	544	1968
NORTHEAST GROUP																										
79 Bowlusville	Bowlusville	Clair Troutman	184	3		1	4	2		10	5		17		13	171	10	3	3		6		65	109	26	89
80 Columbus Ave.	Columbus Ave.	James Adkins	126	3			3		1	5	2		8		5	121	13		3				84			62
81 Fletcher	Fletcher	Harvey Smith	250	8	2	11	21	3	3	7	3		16	5		255	31	16	8		12	3		115	20	87
82 Ginghamsburg	Ginghamsburg	Dwayne Ferguson	147	2	4		6	4	3	6			13		7	140	40		2		2	12	40	90	7	21
83 Lagonda	Lagonda	Gerald Geiger	870	24		1	25	5		14	21		40		15	855	32		24		44		272	446		338
84 Lockington	Lockington	Lester Grove	115					2					2		2	113	20				1		29	24	6	19
85 New Hope	New Hope	Lester Grove	85	3			3	2			1		3			85	17		3		5			27	5	26
86 Piqua	Piqua	Charles Selby	387	4	4	2	10	5		3			8	2		389	38	20	4	2	18	20	225	200	25	194
87 Rosewood	Rosewood	Ira Clark	297	25			25	3		5			8	17		314	39		25		16			174		
88 Xenia	Xenia	Carl Hahn	228	29	5	10	44	2	2	2	1		7	37		265	20		29		30		91	157	50	30
Totals Northeost Group			2689	101	15	25	141	28	9	52	33		122	61 19	42	2708	260	39	101	2	134	35	722	1426	139	866

II CHRISTIAN EDUCATION

Average Attendance			Children								Youth						
Sunday Morning Worship Service	Sunday Evening Worship Service	Mid-Week Service	Church School Officers	Nursery	Kindergarten	Primary	Juniors	Teachers	Enrolled in Pastor's Classes	Boys and Girls Fellowship Hour Average Attendance	Junior High	Senior High	Teachers	Enrolled In Pastor's Classes	Junior High	Senior High	
43	.....	.....	6	6	3	3	4	2	.....	.....	3	4	1	.....	.....	.....	1
42	.....	.....	9	6	4	6	8	2	.....	12	6	5	2	.....	.....	.....	2
196	.....	.....	16	8	19	27	14	8	7	.....	23	30	2	.....	15	13	3
239	.....	11	4	21	14	44	36	11	7	30	18	35	2	12	28	19	4
106	.....	.....	18	16	17	12	20	6	.....	.....	18	10	2	.....	.....	.....	5
191	.....	6	4	23	29	16	44	11	10	.....	23	43	2	5	10	15	6
75	.....	.....	5	17	14	15	19	4	.....	.....	12	8	2	16	.....	14	7
22	.....	7	7	.....	.....	.....	5	1	.....	.....	7	8	1	.....	.....	.....	8
130	.....	4	7	5	7	16	33	6	14	.....	21	16	2	15	6	5	9
115	.....	.....	3	10	8	18	25	4	14	17	25	9	2	.....	.....	.....	10
68	.....	.....	6	8	7	19	8	8	.....	18	5	14	4	.....	.....	.....	11
192	.....	8	5	9	12	52	50	22	11	.....	38	40	3	10	10	22	12
264	.....	13	8	30	30	36	38	17	.....	.....	38	28	13	26	15	25	13
128	.....	14	4	7	19	25	24	8	19	.....	15	29	3	10	.....	24	14
109	.....	.....	4	6	2	32	37	8	.....	.....	13	15	2	7	.....	28	15
65	.....	.....	3	2	5	8	7	3	.....	.....	6	13	2	9	5	5	16
54	.....	6	15	18	18	26	27	7	.....	12	17	25	3	5	12	6	17
140	.....	.....	8	17	18	25	25	8	16	.....	30	33	2	.....	9	10	18
73	.....	.....	9	9	.....	9	10	7	.....	7	6	20	.....	.....	.....	.....	19
73	.....	.....	10	7	6	4	10	.....	.....	6	7	18	.....	.....	.....	.....	20
172	.....	.....	4	15	18	35	38	17	17	.....	22	18	5	10	14	10	21
105	.....	11	5	15	28	10	17	8	10	.....	18	17	2	5	14	.....	22
85	.....	14	5	14	8	11	14	7	.....	.....	11	12	2	2	9	10	23
22	.....	.....	5	.....	.....	8	8	.....	.....	.....	8	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	24
33	.....	10	5	17	.....	5	5	4	.....	.....	9	.....	1	.....	.....	.....	25
29	.....	.....	.....	9	7	4	4	.....	.....	.....	.....	3	.....	.....	.....	.....	26
240	.....	3	4	31	14	38	30	16	9	22	30	25	3	4	6	5	27
86	.....	10	2	2	6	12	15	5	.....	.....	15	16	2	5	10	5	28
104	.....	.....	9	.....	8	15	12	.....	2	.....	13	27	.....	.....	5	10	29
36	.....	.....	9	9	9	.....	10	3	.....	.....	12	3	2	.....	.....	.....	30
54	.....	.....	15	14	8	16	14	.....	19	.....	17	14	.....	.....	.....	.....	31
43	.....	.....	10	3	5	9	20	.....	8	.....	12	13	.....	.....	.....	.....	32
3342	.....	**117**	**224**	**354**	**343**	**556**	**631**	**203**	**163**	**124**	**498**	**551**	**67**	**141**	**168**	**226**	
63	.....	.....	4	7	9	14	13	4	6	.....	21	10	2	.....	13	.....	79
80	.....	4	6	15	14	17	24	4	7	.....	22	16	2	14	6	6	80
134	.....	.....	4	24	15	24	20	9	7	.....	15	6	2	.....	.....	12	81
68	.....	7	5	5	5	8	7	8	9	6	5	2	4	.....	.....	.....	82
277	.....	12	44	25	40	80	77	.....	.....	.....	86	25	.....	32	24	.....	83
55	.....	.....	2	10	.....	7	8	5	.....	.....	.....	14	1	.....	.....	20	84
67	.....	.....	3	.....	16	9	7	3	.....	.....	10	12	2	.....	.....	.....	85
184	41	11	8	20	20	28	22	10	11	.....	29	20	4	8	.....	.....	86
104	.....	.....	20	3	15	25	15	6	8	10	15	35	4	15	.....	.....	87
144	.....	16	3	9	27	31	34	9	14	25	23	18	4	.....	14	8	88
1176	**41**	**50**	**99**	**118**	**161**	**243**	**227**	**58**	**62**	**41**	**226**	**158**	**25**	**69**	**57**	**46**	

II CHRISTIAN EDUCATION

Adults												Enrollments-Averages					Higher Ed		
Adults	Home Department	Teachers	Enrolled in Pastor's Casses	Organized chapter of E.U.B. Men?	Male Members	Organized Society of W.S.W.S.?	Enrolled in W.S.W.S.	Organized Adult Fellowship?	Enrolled in Adult Fellowship	Organized Young Adult Fellowship?	Enrolled in Young Adult Felowship	Sunday Church School Enrollment	Sunday Church School Average Attendance	Enrolled in Vacation Church Schools	Enrolled in Weekday Church Schools	Enrolled in Christian Ser. Training Courses	Number Attending E.U.B. Colleges	No. attending Church-related or private Col.	No. Attending Tax Supported Colleges
43		2		no	30	yes	12	no		no		77	45	30	2				
28		2		no		no		no		no		78	42	30	2				1
88	4	1		yes	80	yes	75	no		no		240	110	68			2		11
181	26	6	16	no	150	yes	71	no		no		398	276	89	21	7	1		14
90		2		no		yes	29	no		no		211	116	34				1	
121	25	4		yes	102	yes	51	no		yes	15	345	165	36		19	3	8	11
61	4	5		no		yes	12	no		no		166	87	34	7			1	1
17		2		no		yes	10	no		no		48	30	8					
55	4	3	18	no	117	yes	30	no		no		175	90	38		9	1	11	18
83		3		no		no		no		no		190	90	64		5	1		
46		4		no		yes	14	no		no		129	70					1	2
74		3		no		yes	46	yes	21	yes	28	308	199	96	12	8	2	2	8
185	26	11	31	yes	226	yes	71	no		no		460	221	27	30	6	3		28
107	5	5	4	no		yes	32	no		no		251	161	104	10			1	4
60		3		no		yes	21	no		no		182	94					2	6
53		3		no	53	no		no		no		105	71		8	4	1		2
57		5		no	57	no		no		no		218	97	100				6	
90	3	4		no		yes	58	no		no		263	167	65			1		5
61				no		yes	33	no		no		131	63	1			1		
64				no		yes	27	no		no		126	63	10					
98	18	8		no		yes	53	no		no		296	215	54	15		1		8
126		5	2	no		yes	9	no		no		251	138	30		4			
57	3	3		no	69	yes	33	no		no		147	97	57			1		
30				no		yes	10	no		no		59	24					1	
43		1		no		yes	7	no		no		90	53	52					
20				no		no		no		no		47	40						
110	12	4		no	136	yes	49	no		no		317	185	105	40		2	1	7
90	7	5		yes	8	yes	17	no		no		177	97	75				2	
88				no	64	yes	28	yes	60	no		172	90				2	1	5
45		3		no		no		no		no		105	34					2	
75				no	8	yes	16	yes	58	yes	17	173	92	61					4
29				no		no		no		no		101	51	52					
2375	**137**	**97**	**71**	**4**	**1100**	**25**	**814**	**3**	**139**	**3**	**60**	**6036**	**3373**	**1320**	**147**	**62**	**22**	**40**	**135**
45	9	7		no	69	yes	26	no		no		145	102	58				4	1
66		3		yes	29	yes	20	no		no		189	90	42					2
91		4		yes	54	yes	65	no		yes	40	214	119	150			3	2	4
24	5	2		no		yes	14	no		no		80	66	35		3			3
239				yes	310	yes	82	no		yes	10	616	281	105		20		1	
28		1		no		yes	12	no		no		76	48	70					1
33		1		no		no		yes	10	no		96	58	60					2
100	25	8		yes		yes		no		yes	28	294	164	85		2	2	2	4
102	4	4		no		yes	83	yes		yes		248	147						3
46	10	4	14	yes	91	yes	48	no		no		218	134	120					2
774	**53**	**34**	**14**	**5**	**553**	**9**	**350**	**2**	**10**	**4**	**78**	**2176**	**1209**	**725**		**25**	**5**	**9**	**22**

III FINANCES

Number Planning full-time Christian Vocations	Christian Service Fund Apportionment	Paid on Christian Ser. Fund Apportionment	A. MISSIONS AND BENEVOLENCES — Cont. Not in Budget: W.S.W.S. Offerings	E.U.B. Men Offerings	Boys and Girls Fel Missionary Offering	Youth Fellowship World Ser. Off.	Other Miss. & Bene. Denominational	Other Miss. & Bene. Non-Denom.	Homes for Children, Aged	E.U.B. Colleges	E.U.B. Seminaries	Total Miss. & Bene. Contributions not in Budget Apportio.	Total for Missions and Benevolence	
....	432	432	75	.....	.....	.....	207	8	44	.....	.....	334	766	1
....	492	451	44	.....	.....	.....	.....	46	37	.....	.....	127	578	2
....	3144	3144	1634	50	.....	88	140	83	150	100	.....	2245	5389	3
1	3324	3324	620	.....	.....	136	260	.....	621	1000	.....	2637	5961	4
....	1536	1536	399	.....	.....	.....	223	.....	198	.....	99	919	2455	5
....	3348	3348	442	26	.....	109	692	244	446	.....	.....	1959	5307	6
....	888	888	225	6	.....	.....	240	71	112	5	.....	659	1547	7
....	372	146	.....	.....	.....	.....	22	.....	.....	.....	.....	22	168	8
1	2076	2076	371	.....	.....	30	749	.....	800	.....	.....	1950	4026	9
1	1296	1296	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	100	.....	.....	100	1396	10
....	804	804	95	.....	.....	24	370	.....	65	8	.....	562	1366	11
....	2760	2760	386	57	.....	104	758	74	1790	.....	.....	3169	5929	12
3	3672	3672	1111	.....	.....	98	861	393	859	147	164	3633	7305	13
1	1872	1872	253	.....	.....	86	1407	291	400	.....	.....	2437	4309	14
....	1668	1668	160	.....	.....	.....	100	.....	161	.....	.....	421	2089	15
....	852	852	.....	12	.....	30	347	36	150	25	.....	600	1452	16
....	1212	667	.....	.....	.....	.....	307	74	40	95	.....	516	1183	17
....	2016	2016	374	.....	.....	.....	704	142	551	21	.....	1792	3808	18
....	828	528	147	.....	.....	.....	109	32	65	50	.....	403	931	19
....	780	468	37	.....	.....	.....	233	49	110	40	.....	469	937	20
1	2568	2568	410	.....	.....	95	147	94	435	.....	.....	1181	3749	21
1	1380	1380	76	.....	.....	10	316	30	287	20	.....	739	2119	22
....	1034	1034	313	.....	.....	.....	314	.....	151	.....	.....	778	1812	23
....	312	312	63	.....	.....	.....	129	.....	.....	.....	.....	192	504	24
....	540	540	55	.....	.....	.....	227	.....	90	.....	.....	372	912	25
....	324	324	5	.....	.....	10	145	11	94	.....	.....	265	589	26
1	3600	3079	752	.....	.....	25	576	431	850	.....	.....	2634	5713	27
....	1728	1728	437	8	.....	30	404	260	324	8	.....	1471	3199	28
....	1272	1272	80	.....	.....	.....	440	.....	.....	.....	.....	520	1792	29
....	420	210	.....	.....	.....	.....	130	25	.....	.....	.....	155	365	30
....	984	490	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	92	.....	.....	92	582	31
....	540	195	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	38	.....	.....	38	233	32
10	**48074**	**45080**	**8564**	**159**	.....	**875**	**10557**	**2394**	**9060**	**1519**	**263**	**33391**	**78471**	
....	1284	728	158	.....	.....	21	95	60	61	.....	.....	395	1123	79
....	1092	1092	.....	14	.....	3	258	.....	137	.....	.....	412	1504	80
....	1836	1836	279	.....	22	.....	530	.....	167	26	10	1034	2870	81
....	1020	1020	141	8	4	15	172	58	62	.....	8	468	1488	82
1	4896	4896	708	.....	.....	140	879	999	14	28	.....	2768	7664	83
....	504	504	109	.....	.....	.....	477	100	58	.....	.....	744	1248	84
....	612	612	.....	.....	.....	.....	198	148	164	.....	.....	510	1122	85
....	2532	2532	769	.....	.....	65	660	.....	724	.....	28	2246	4778	86
....	1908	1908	490	.....	.....	25	618	10	261	.....	.....	1404	3312	87
....	1776	1776	431	24	.....	54	82	322	185	.....	512	1610	3386	88
1	**17460**	**16904**	**3085**	**46**	**26**	**323**	**3969**	**1697**	**1833**	**54**	**558**	**11591**	**28495**	

III FINANCES

B. LOCAL EXPENDITURES

Asst. Ministers' Expense Items													
Cash Salary Paid by Local Church	Rental Value of Ch.-own. Parsonage	Housing Allow In Lieu Parsonage	Utilities	Other Compensation	Received from Appropriations	Total Ministerial Compensation	Ministerial Expenses Paid by Church	General Board of Pensions 9% Appor.	Cash Salary Paid by Local Church	Rental Value of Ch.-own. Parsonage	Housing Allowance in Lieu Parsonage	Utilities	Other Compensation
1600	402					2002							
1600	400					2000							
5200	1200		739	156		7295	900	468					
5000	720		280	150		6150	1050	450					
4500	480		856			5836	300	405					
5200		1200	400	156		6956	800	468	612				
2340	540		51			2931		211					
1040						1040							
4650	600		785	139		6174	1030	419					
4280				128		4408	756	401					
2856	300		167			3323							
5200		800	500	156		6656	800	468	750				
5250		600	598	158		6606	1200	473	1300				
4611	600					5211	200	415					
2860	600		413			3873	383	266					
1556		1200		83		2839		140					
4280			171			4451							
4650	900		260	140		5950	365	418					
2049	450					2499		216					
2169	175					2344		240					
4650	1000			140		5790	600	418					
3800	720		381			4901	120	342					
3380		600	662			4642	180	107					
1272	160					1432							
1844	160					2004							
1216	160					1376							
4680	1200		813			6693	1040	281					
4650	900					5550	360	418					
4500		600		135		5235	80	315					
820		450		101		1371	150	83					
3074	600					3674							
				600		600	54	713					
104777	**12267**	**5450**	**7076**	**2242**		**131812**	**10368**	**8135**	**2662**				
3700	540					4240							
3200	780		400			4380		243					
4650	720		500	140		6010		418					
3748	900		36		100	4784	18	305					
5248	720		736	159		6863	600	477					
2079	300		250	62		2691		125					
2080	300		250	62		2692		187					
4732	900			142		5774	325	426					
4670	480		514			5664		558					
4650	1020			140		5810	120	418					
38757	**6660**		**2686**	**705**	**100**	**48908**	**1063**	**3157**					

B. LOCAL EXPENDITURES

Received from Appropriation	Assistant Ministers' Total Ministerial Compensation	Ministerial Expenses Paid by Church	General Board of Pensions 9% Appor.	Other Current Exp. Inc. Maintenance	Sun. Church, Vac., Weekday School	Fellowships	E.U.B. Men	W.S.W.S.	Paid this Year On Indebtedness	Paid this Year On Interest	Paid on New Bldg. and Property	Paid on Improvements	Paid Into Reserve, Trust Funds this Yr.	
				1196	349		3							1
				462	490									2
				7682	695			283	3919	976		873		3
				7326	2320			60	7736			724		4
				2929	877							59	3368	5
	612	408		8014	2076	2	18	25	3000	113		2948	1478	6
				1351	700	25		130				1510	300	7
				94	355	5		210						8
				5806	1112	429		259	700	51		722		9
				2263	779							500		10
				1498	459							474		11
	750			7043	1739		40	95	5489	992		1633		12
	1300			8489	1128	312	149	1128				1127	4600	13
				4299	1325	360		175				1089	579	14
				3777	442				1266	34		2020		15
				1716	154							1838	48	16
				2690				543			911	230		17
				5524	549				4600	808				18
				1398	228									19
				1700	709			253						20
				5843	1520	50		110				351	500	21
				1655	1371			69				92	204	22
				1909	451	32		805			2100	385	500	23
				253				16						24
				871	253								500	25
				797									379	26
				8562	1062	140	150	92	6091	5114		406	500	27
				2459	430			175	2498	327	1046	10412		28
				1267	722	57		476				3865		29
				352	236									30
				1637	688							291		31
				189					322	63		253		32
	2662	**408**		**101051**	**23219**	**1412**	**360**	**4904**	**35621**	**8478**	**4057**	**31802**	**12956**	
				1583	508			267				98	400	79
				212	480							285		80
				4386	1156	19	374	179				514	10845	81
				2140	421				2789	148		915		82
				13250	1238	12			2100			10284		83
				959	115	300		392				284		84
				2634	319	47		411			10163			85
				8222	1079			93						86
				2678	1053	25		1495			37900	366		87
				4021	650	52	185	197	473	55				88
				40085	**7019**	**455**	**559**	**3034**	**5362**	**203**	**48063**	**12746**	**11245**	

III FINANCES

B. LOCAL EXPENDITURES

Total Local Expenditures this Yr.	Borrowed Funds Spent this Year	Paid Out of Reserve Trust Funds This Yr.	Grants from Annual Conf., Other Ch. Ag.	Special Gifts from Non-members	Rec. from Sale of Ch. Owned Property	Total Deductions	Net Total for Local Expense	Total for All Purposes	Ave. per Member for Missions & Bene.	Ave. per Member For All Purposes
3148							3148	3914	9	52
2552							2552	3130	7	50
21891							21891	27280	11	56
25096							25096	31057	13	72
13294							13294	15749	4	78
26918							26918	32225	9	55
6618		920		300		1220	5398	6945	15	67
1704							1704	1872	2	22
16102							16102	20128	11	57
9107							9107	10503	8	54
5454							5454	6820	10	53
25705							25705	31634	13	71
26512							26512	33817	11	51
13053		1285				1285	11768	16077	20	76
11461							11461	13550	7	45
6735							6735	8187	10	58
8825							8825	10008	8	71
17314							17314	21122	10	59
3891							3891	4822	9	42
5071							5071	6008	8	51
14182							14182	17931	13	64
8034							8034	10153	12	63
11111							11111	12923	11	76
1541							1541	2045	8	35
3468							3468	4380	10	52
2392							2392	2981	12	64
28931							28931	34644	12	85
22775	9800					9800	12975	16174	15	80
12017							12017	13809	9	66
2192							2192	2557	6	43
5690							5690	6272	3	40
2194		253				253	1941	2174	3	31
364978	**9800**	**2458**		**300**		**12558**	**352420**	**430891**	**10**	**59**
6556							6556	7679	7	48
4820							4820	6324	12	59
23181							23181	26051	11	106
10520				1100		1100	9420	10908	11	84
34104	4000					4000	30104	37768	10	46
4566							4566	5814	11	54
16153							16153	17275	192	206
15019							15019	19797	13	53
49259							49259	52571	10	167
10961							10961	14347	12	54
175139	**4000**			**1100**		**5100**	**170039**	**198534**	**10**	**73**

III FINANCES

A. Local Church Property

No. of Churches	No. of Parsonages	Value of Churches	Value of Parsonages	Value of Other Church Property	Total Value of Local Church Prop.	Total Insurance	Indebtedness on Churches	Indebtedness on Parsonages	Indebtedness on Other Local Church Property	Total Reserve and Trust Funds	
1		15000			15000	15000					1
1	1	22000	5000		27000	36000					2
1	1	230000	30000		260000	260000	5950				3
1	1	200000	9000		209000	140000	26000				4
1	1	30000	10500		40500	40000				14425	5
1		227000		3200	230200	227000				1478	6
1	1	40000	8500		48500	43050				380	7
1		15000			15000	8000					8
1	1	70000	12000		82000	82000				3000	9
1	1	40000	8000		48000	31000					10
1	1	45000	10000		55000	34000				900	11
1	1	125000	15000	10000	150000	101000			14000		12
1	1	325000	25000		350000	345000				35576	13
1	1	130000	16000		146000	122000				481	14
1	1	105000	15000		120000	120000	1000				15
1		25000			25000	22500				1638	16
1	1	30000	20000		50000	37500				1100	17
1	1	182000	20000		202000	176000	9400				18
1	1	62000	6500		68500	68500					19
1		50000			50000	45000					20
1	1	125000	16000		141000	121000				10000	21
1	1	50000	9500	6000	65500	55000				204	22
1	1	20000	14000		34000	42000				4000	23
1		10000			10000	5000					24
1		23000			23000	23000					25
1		20000			20000	20000				758	26
1	1	164000	18000	3000	185000	129000	79909			500	27
1	1	115000	13000	11000	139000	123000	8753				28
1		86000			86000	70000					29
1		20000			20000	20000					30
1	1	85000	10000		95000	61000					31
1		20000			20000	18000	1186				32
32	**21**	**2706000**	**291000**	**33200**	**3030200**	**2640550**	**132198**		**14000**	**74440**	
1	1	40000			40000	43500				4400	79
1	1	18000	6000	3500	27500	31500					80
1	1	60000	10000		70000	70000				15271	81
1	1	9000	8000	3000	20000	37500		788			82
1	1	205000	7500	8500	221000	160000	4000				83
1	1	35000	12000		47000						84
1	1	50000		1000	51000	46000	6000				85
1	2	140000	28000		168000	159000		18000		2868	86
1	1	56000	8000		64000	64000				1993	87
1	1	45000	15000	1000	61000	66000	1427				88
10	**11**	**658000**	**94500**	**17000**	**769500**	**677500**	**11427**	**18788**		**24532**	

Statistical Report

West Group

Central Group

Average Attendance			Children								Youth						
Sunday Morning Worship	Sunday Evening Worship	Mid-Week Service	Church School Officers	Nursery	Kindergarten	Primary	Juniors	Teachers	Enrolled in Pastor's Classes	Boys and Girls Fellowship Hour Average Attendance	Junior High	Senior High	Teachers	Enrolled In Pastor's Classes	Junior High	Senior High	
161			3	20	20	24	30	8	10		15	36	2	4	15	12	33
231			4	19	15	23	39	13		12	25	28	3		10	17	34
52			8		5	13	15				15					15	35
296			31	18	57	75	50	6			43	51	5	9			36
77			6	10	12	20	10	5			10	12	2			12	37
95			3	10	14	21	29	7		15	19	15	3	35		16	38
105			6	10	9	26	8	8		38	6	15	4	5	4	9	29
35			2	4	7	9	14	5			3	20	3		15		40
385		25	51	61	36	64	66			25	61	47			21	32	41
55		10	14	4	10	17	8				12	10				12	42
29			1	6	9	10	13	5				10	1			12	43
18			3		10	8	3	2				4	1				44
123	61	64	3	5			4	2				8	1			8	45
94			8	25	14	25	16	8	2		18	23	2		8	7	46
81			12	29	19	33	25	4			15	23	3		15		47
110		61	3	12	11	33	30	10	10		16	21	3	7	4	9	48
81			8	7	6	15	10	9			9	12	2	14		20	49
141	24	12	2		28	39	19	7	18		21	26	2		6	20	50
																	51
44			3	5	10	17	18	5			5	16	2		3	6	52
2213	**85**	**172**	**171**	**245**	**292**	**472**	**407**	**104**	**40**	**90**	**293**	**377**	**39**	**74**	**101**	**267**	
131			23	12	14	27	39	10	11		15	50	2		10	25	53
217			3	18	32	34	42	23	2	24	24	14	3	10	12	8	54
432			8	52	44	88	89	20	20	177	90	45	6	25	61	31	55
594			10	35	53	111	127	30			90	209	17		36	60	56
216			5	9	8	21	24	9	10		21	26	2	5	16	18	57
133	33	71	3	25	14	25	35	16		60	24	37	4			25	58
222			4	9	22	71	73	10	21		30	14	2	22	15	15	59
461			12	20	34	68	72	25	5		52	70	8	5	20	23	60
672		250	11	34	32	31	43	61	17	10	20	35	5	32	11	19	61
277			5	20	24	35	50	15	12	18	30	45	8	6	10	18	62
130			4	9	8	14	22	5			11	33	1			21	63
164			3	14	14	26	20	14		28	26	30	5	9	29		64
71			11	2	3		11	4			7	12	2			12	65
207		8	2	20	15	40	42	9	6		27	20	3	7	15	10	66
292			2	25	51	93	94	18	41	183	63	26	6	20	25	15	67
257			53	16	21	56	39	30			48	35	7		14	12	68
204		45	14	9	14	29	38	9	19		25	15	4			15	69
586		30	8	52	68	105	141	41	22	202	63	54	8		51	40	70
79			4	8	13	21	20	11			13	17	2			15	71
152			4	12	23	29	33	9	5		14	21	3		9	10	72
192			8	32	28	44	48	22	14		38	40	3	7	10	16	73
236		76	41	19	22	49	62	27	14	12	63	45	4		7	27	74
121			4	8	8	16	15	6	2		20	12	3	10			75
511		18	5	36	65	115	120	15			50	75	3	26	21	30	76
195		13	27	8	5	15	20	8	7	25	11	18	2		8	12	77
73	23	18	4	7	12	20	23	12	12		12	9	2	4			78
6825	**56**	**529**	**278**	**511**	**647**	**1183**	**1342**	**459**	**240**	**739**	**887**	**1007**	**115**	**188**	**380**	**477**	

MINISTRY AND CHARGES | CHRISTIAN LIFE AND WORK

CHARGE	CHURCH	PASTOR	Members Reported at close of Last Year	Gained By: Confession of Faith	Gained By: Certificate of Transfer	Gained By: Certificate of Memb.	Gained By: Total Gain	Lost By: Death	Lost By: Certificate of Transfer	Lost By: Certificate of Memb.	Lost By: Withdrawn without Certificate	Lost By: Other Ways	Lost By: Total Loss	Net Gain	Net Loss	Present Membership	Non-resident Members	Members Under 13 Years of Age	Conversions	Reclamations	Baptisms and Dedications (all ages)	Number of Enrolled Tithers	Number of Contributing Units	Number of Families Member	Number of Families Non-Member	Number of Church and Home Subscriptions
WEST GROUP																										
33 Farmersville	Farmersville	David Schneider	377	14	1	1	16	3	4	2			9	7		384	52		14		11	15	240	167	25	125
34 Germantown	Germantown	J. C. Herbert	547		5	5	10	3		4			7	3		550	108	2			2		71	250		250
35 Greenbush	Greenbush	Donald Heacock	65		1	1	2							2		67	29				1					6
36 Hamilton First	Hamilton First	James Duvall	792	18	1	10	29	12	4	29	21		66		37	755	44	5	18		27	5				
37 Hamilton 9th St.	Hamilton Ninth St.	Earl Stockslager	173	1	3		4	1	1	7	6		15		11	162	17		1	2	3		110	15		
38 Jacksonburg	Jacksonburg	Carl Cotrone	183	23		1	24			2	39		41		17	166	9	5	23	10	21	2	85	70	15	69
39 Johnsville	Johnsville	Kenneth Jenkins	201			2	2	1		2			3		1	200	44				1		119	3	11	
40 Maple Park	Maple Park	Donald Baker	86					1			16		17		17	69	8				1		30	23	5	
41 Middletown	Middletown	Clifford Stearns	908	26	10	17	53	14	1	5	24		44	9		917	50	13	26		35		577	455	31	7
42 Millville	Millville	Charles Woods	137													137	26	3								6
43 Community	Community	Howard Hahn	16	1		5	6							6		22			1		3		50	9	10	22
44 Oregonia	Oregonia	Robert Bullock	53							1			1		1	52	22							6	1	
45 Otterbein Home	Otterbein Home	Robert Eschbach	182		11	4	15	7	3				10	5		187	69	6			2		93	123	65	46
46 Pleasant Ridge	Pleasant Ridge	Dana Heaton	294	4	4		8	4	2	12	7		25		17	277	45	2	4		9	5	100	165	30	
47 Springboro	Springboro	J. Lee Kreider	188	2	2		4		1	1	1		3	1		189	26	2	2		9					2
48 St. Mark	St. Mark	Owen Delp	161	5	6	6	17	1		3			4	13		174	13		5		5	7	59	70	25	2
49 State Road	State Road	Harold Miller	134									17	17		17	117	6				3		40	60	87	60
50 Union Chapel	Union Chapel	Clifton Hatfield	223	15	1	4	20				4		4	16		239		5	15	6	17	30	65	106	35	20
51 Utica	Utica	Robert Bullock	31													31										
52 West Elkton	West Elkton	Craig South	98	1			1	5					5		4	94	23		1		5		75	65	10	
Totals West Group			4849	110	45	56	211	52	16	68	118	17	271	62	122	4789	591	43	110	18	155	64	1485	1798	357	626
															60											
CENTRAL GROUP																										
53 Aley	Aley	Richard Hedges	215	3	7	2	12	1	2	7		17	27		15	200	5	5	3		1	18	81	103	47	
54 Beardshear	Beardshear	Howard James	420	13		6	19	3	8	1	4		16	3		423	54	9	13		7	15	189	250	180	
55 Beavertown	Beavertown	John Bergland	845	35	7	13	55	5	2	15	9		31	24		869	80	22	35		28	30	237	369	40	277
56 Belmont	Belmont	Murn B. Klepinger	1712	40	17	24	81	15	18	17	27		77	4		1716	62		40	5	64	48	930	875	40	650
57 Christ Church	Christ Church	Carl R. Robinson	314	9	26	5	40	4	6	3			13	27		341	21		9		17		134	184	30	138
58 Drexel	Drexel	Robert Fyffe	221	7	4		11	2	7	4	1		14		3	218	45		7	21			105	100	5	102
59 Eastmont	Eastmont	Eugene Risch	246	49	9	9	67	2	5	9	18		34	33		279	28	11	49		48	5	152	134	41	134
60 Fairview	Fairview	Carl Eschback	1355	16	19	15	50	19	21	34	24		98		48	1307	130	2	16		29		505	575		488
61 First	First Church	C. Willard Fetter	1788	17	9	6	32	28	18	16		2	64		32	1756	158		17		24		731	1005		750
62 Ft. McKinley	Fort McKinley	Maurice Gribler	745	29	5	5	39	4	16	5	20		45		6	739	52	8	29	5	25	14	280	350	75	265
63 Good Shepherd	Good Shepherd	John Ness, Jr.	258	3	6	2	11	3	4	7	27		41		30	228	48	4	3		6	9	102	87	31	
64 Liberty	Liberty	William Miller	366	2	1	4	7	5	10	7	19		41		34	332	23	20	2		3	26	47	170	22	130
65 Miami Chapel	Miami Chapel	James Legg	206	7	2	1	10	3	1	6	2		12		2	204	31	6	7		9		47	73	8	89
66 Miamisburg	Miamisburg	Donald Irwin	549	5	5	1	11	7	3	2	4		16		5	544	30	13	5		4		256	286	48	256
67 Normandy	Normandy	Milford E. Ater	746	49	19	49	117	1	4	8	6		19	98		844	52	18	49		35		308	333	91	261
68 Oak Street	Oak Street	Demi Edwards	781	17	2	2	21	13	5	2	4		24		3	778	64		17		22		300	300	25	302
69 Oakwood	Oakwood	Harold S. Brown	493	20	2	7	29	3	5	5	12		25	4		497	31	36	20		8		170	165	5	173
70 Otterbein	Otterbein	Harvey C. Hahn	1092	54	4	26	84	12		5	25		42	42		1134	47	15	54		42	135	616	680	305	600
71 Residence Park	Residence Park	Robert Schurman	206	3	8	4	15	4	18	3	33		58		43	163	60	3	3		2		55	97	30	40
72 Southern Hills	Southern Hills	Ralph W. Tinsley	506	18	12	3	33	3	4				7	26		532	24		18		12	3	150	146	4	141
73 Sulphur Grove	Sulphur Grove	Grover Letner	406	17	20	9	46	3	6	12	11		32	14		420	25		17		18		240	228	125	171
74 Trinity	Trinity	Edwin Pellett	504	14	6	2	22	5	7	6	5	1	24		2	502	36	11	14	2	14	27	307	282	75	272
75 Troy Street	Troy St.	Albert Howard	216	20		2	22	1	9	2	9		21	1		217	13	6	20		25		106	142		106
76 Vandalia	Vandalia	Walter N. Miranda	883	63	8	27	98	3		38	7		48	50		933	110	26	63		56	3	356	375	75	333
77 Wayne Avenue	Wayne Ave.	Robert Copeland	505	7	5	4	16	13	13	11	17	1	55		39	466	60		7		8			197	9	202
78 Zion	Zion	James Riley	96	1			1			1			1			96	9		1	2	4	10	46	60	23	45
Totals Central Group			15674	518	203	228	949	162	192	226	284	21	885	326	262	15738	1298	215	518	35	511	343	6543	7566	1334	5925
														64												

Average Attendance			Children								Youth						
Sunday Morning Worship	Sunday Evening Worship	Mid-Week Service	Church School Officers	Nursery	Kindergarten	Primary	Juniors	Teachers	Enrolled in Pastor's Classes	Boys and Girls Fellowship Hour Average Attendance	Junior High	Senior High	Teachers	Enrolled In Pastor's Classes	Junior High	Senior High	
161			3	20	20	24	30	8	10		15	36	2	4	15	12	33
231			4	19	15	23	39	13		12	25	28	3		10	17	34
52			8		5	13	15				15					15	35
296			31	18	57	75	50	6			43	51	5	9			36
77			6	10	12	20	10	5			10	12	2			12	37
95			3	10	14	21	29	7		15	19	15	3	35		16	38
105			6	10	9	26	8	8		38	6	15	4	5	4	9	29
35			2	4	7	9	14	5			3	20	3		15		40
385		25	51	61	36	64	66			25	61	47			21	32	41
55		10	14	4	10	17	8				12	10				12	42
29			1	6	9	10	13	5				10	1			12	43
18			3		10	8	3	2				4	1				44
123	61	64	3	5			4	2				8	1			8	45
94			8	25	14	25	16	8	2		18	23	2		8	7	46
81			12	29	19	33	25	4			15	23	3		15		47
110		61	3	12	11	33	30	10	10		16	21	3	7	4	9	48
81			8	7	6	15	10	9			9	12	2	14		20	49
141	24	12	2		28	39	19	7	18		21	26	2		6	20	50
																	51
44			3	5	10	17	18	5			5	16	2		3	6	52
2213	**85**	**172**	**171**	**245**	**292**	**472**	**407**	**104**	**40**	**90**	**293**	**377**	**39**	**74**	**101**	**267**	
131			23	12	14	27	39	10	11		15	50	2		10	25	53
217			3	18	32	34	42	23	2	24	24	14	3	10	12	8	54
432			8	52	44	88	89	20	20	177	90	45	6	25	61	31	55
594			10	35	53	111	127	30			90	209	17		36	60	56
216			5	9	8	21	24	9	10		21	26	2	5	16	18	57
133	33	71	3	25	14	25	35	16		60	24	37	4			25	58
222			4	9	22	71	73	10	21		30	14	2	22	15	15	59
461			12	20	34	68	72	25	5		52	70	8	5	20	23	60
672		250	11	34	32	31	43	61	17	10	20	35	5	32	11	19	61
277			5	20	24	35	50	15	12	18	30	45	8	6	10	18	62
130			4	9	8	14	22	5			11	33	1			21	63
164			3	14	14	26	20	14		28	26	30	5	9	29		64
71			11	2	3		11	4			7	12	2			12	65
207		8	2	20	15	40	42	9	6		27	20	3	7	15	10	66
292			2	25	51	93	94	18	41	183	63	26	6	20	25	15	67
257			53	16	21	56	39	30			48	35	7		14	12	68
204		45	14	9	14	29	38	9	19		25	15	4			15	69
586		30	8	52	68	105	141	41	22	202	63	54	8		51	40	70
79			4	8	13	21	20	11			13	17	2			15	71
152			4	12	23	29	33	9	5		14	21	3		9	10	72
192			8	32	28	44	48	22	14		38	40	3	7	10	16	73
236		76	41	19	22	49	62	27	14	12	63	45	4		7	27	74
121			4	8	8	16	15	6	2		20	12	3	10			75
511		18	5	36	65	115	120	15			50	75	3	26	21	30	76
195		13	27	8	5	15	20	8	7	25	11	18	2		8	12	77
73	23	18	4	7	12	20	23	12	12		12	9	2	4			78
6825	**56**	**529**	**278**	**511**	**647**	**1183**	**1342**	**459**	**240**	**739**	**887**	**1007**	**115**	**188**	**380**	**477**	

Adults												Enrollments-Averages					Higher Ed		
Adults	Home Department	Teachers	Enrolled in Pastor's Casses	Organized chapter of E.U.B. Men?	Male Members	Organized Society of W.S.W.S.?	Enrolled in W.S.W.S.	Organized Adult Fellowship?	Enrolled in Adult Fellowship	Organized Young Adult Fellowship?	Enrolled in Young Adult Felowship	Sunday Church School Enrollment	Sunday Church School Average Attendance	Enrolled in Vacation Church Schools	Enrolled in Weekday Church Schools	Enrolled in Christian Ser. Training Courses	Number Attending E.U.B. Colleges	No. Attending Church related or private Col.	No. Attending Tax Supported Colleges
164	11	9	5	no		yes	31	no		no		342	180	40	16		1	2	7
87		5		no		yes	71	no		no		261	170	65			1		6
35	5			no		yes	17	yes	20	no		96	53					1	
174	12	5	12	no		yes	132	yes	50	yes	20	527	243	45			3	1	18
38	4	5		yes	52	yes	32	no		no		134	104	71			1		3
22		2	4	no		yes	17	yes	20	yes	10	145	95	85			1		3
57	5	5		yes	24	yes	39	no		no		159	116	81			1	2	1
26		1		no		no		no		no		94	50						1
365			45	no		yes	116	no		no		751	371	30		15	5	1	12
36				no		yes	30	no	16	yes	6	111	54					3	
13		1		no	7	yes	12	no		no		69	42	43					
16		2		no	6	no		no		no		49	22						
48		2		yes	25	yes	81	no		no		73	68			1	1		1
61		2		no		no		no		no		202	107	30		3			3
134	6	4		no		no		yes	35	yes	25	307	146	35			2	1	
14		2		no	70	yes	23	no		no		155	89	113			3		6
50	3		12	no		yes	14	no		no		131	64	65		12		3	
104		4	20	yes	86	yes	44	yes	40	yes	30	252	158	85				2	4
43		3		no	35	no		yes	40	no		127	85	45		6			4
1487	**46**	**52**	**98**	**4**	**305**	**14**	**659**	**6**	**221**	**5**	**91**	**3985**	**2217**	**833**	**16**	**37**	**19**	**16**	**69**
108		5		no	80	yes	25	no		no		305	132	75				1	4
65	8	4	20	no	124	yes	42	yes	35	Yes	30	270	108	78		10	1	6	6
205	5	7	26	yes	33	yes	88	no		no		659	395	247	40	12	4	3	18
425		6	55	yes	50	yes	145	no		yes	40	1113	660	184		23	13	12	42
107		4		no	136	yes	40	no		no		236	145				2	1	
148	8	3		no	79	yes	21	no		no		342	168	119	50				2
18		1	76	yes	15	yes	34	no		no		254	148	110				3	6
274	18	9	36	yes	30	yes	182	yes	100	no		662	350	90		18	10	2	35
362	87	19	15	yes	586	yes	314	no		no		740	424	73			8		33
160		6	10	yes	15	yes	95					398	219	60		4	5		5
77		5	12	no		yes	21	no		no		189	79				5	3	6
60	8	6		no		yes	61	no		yes	16	226	159	72		36	4	3	8
55		5		no		yes	22	no		non		112	70		78				1
115	14	5	10	yes	23	yes	54	yes	45	yes	20	312	151	72				1	7
88		2	20	yes	40	yes	29	no		no		468	222	117		12	6	10	20
358	32	12		yes	25	yes	75	yes	30	no		707	325	120			3	1	16
118		6		yes		yes	66	no		no		281	157	63				6	18
208	14	10		yes	280	yes	77	no		no		772	431	187	40	31	4	18	10
35	7	2		no		yes	25	no		no		153	115	175	29		1		
106		6	5	no	60	yes	48	no		no		260	141	4		14	1		7
186		3	15	yes	35	yes	57	no		no		452	186	94			2	12	11
198		7	9	yes	15	yes	86	no		no		537	224			1	1		14
70		5	1	no		yes	35	no		yes		167	111	40			1		1
195	6	4	6	yes	51	yes	268	no		no		689	430	250		18	3	1	20
131		7	5			yes	86	no		no		252	145					3	5
34		3		yes	32	yes	19	no		no		138	95	60	10				
3906	**207**	**152**	**321**	**15**	**1709**	**25**	**2015**	**4**	**210**	**5**	**106**	**10694**	**5790**	**2290**	**247**	**179**	**74**	**86**	**295**

Number Planning full-time Christian Vocations	Christian Service Fund Apportionment	Paid on Christian Ser. Fund Apportionment	A. MISSIONS AND BENEVOLENCES — Cont. Not in Budget: W.S.W.S. Offerings	E.U.B. Men Offerings	Boys and Girls Fel Missionary Offering	Youth Fellowship World Ser. Off.	Other Miss. & Bene. Denominational	Other Miss. & Bene. Non-Denom.	Homes for Children, Aged	E.U.B. Colleges	E.U.B. Seminaries	Total Miss. & Bene. Contributions not in Budget Apportio.	Total for Missions and Benevolence	
	2772	2772	363				2308	55	530	16		3272	6044	33
	4900	4900	864				109		550			1523	6423	34
	516	360						177	183			360	720	35
1	5136	5136	797	94		30	1359		737	804		3821	8957	36
	1512	1512	222	20	10	10	557	50	85	5	5	964	2476	37
1	1176	1030	77				287	144	84			592	1622	38
1	1308	1308	175	25	5	33	531		109	25	15	918	2226	39
	552	552					341		170	35		546	1098	40
1	5364	5364	1553			255	324		1031	500	50	3713	9077	41
	720	624	56				87	11	157			311	935	42
	180	200	28				37	49				114	314	43
	264	264											264	44
	2064	1204	1472			64	1150	137	490			3313	4517	45
1	1584	1584				30		21	105	13	52	221	1805	46
	1344	780					234		88	34		356	1136	47
1	1224	1224	186			16	184	16	85	7		494	1718	48
	936	936				67	253		66			386	1322	49
	1740	1740	365	13		79	626	29	272	9		1393	3133	50
														51
	684	684				16	88		88			192	876	52
6	**33976**	**32174**	**6158**	**152**	**15**	**600**	**8475**	**689**	**4830**	**1448**	**122**	**22489**	**54663**	
	2076	25	126						100			226	251	53
	2568	2568	356			97	1020	186	359			2018	4586	54
1	5580	5580	2132			54	3053	284	800		96	6419	11999	55
1	10524	10524	1111	150		25	1637	3082	1910	293	75	8283	18807	56
	2520	1050	410			68	535		340			1353	2403	57
	2208	2208	193				251	180	220			844	3052	58
2	2028	2028	151	22		25	682	401	196		65	1542	3570	59
1	7788	7788	1446			250	3250	2374	942	400	300	8962	16750	60
1	13488	13488	5926	100		182	7045	9490	1599	184	150	24676	38164	61
	4248	4248	1063			145	1082	601	400	400	50	3741	7989	62
	1409	1409	118	35		38	629	33	229	28	5	1115	2524	63
	2688	3247	141			91	1023	50		325	50	1680	4927	64
	1368	1368	93				403	50	120			666	2034	65
	2520	2520	411				677	25	280	15		1408	3928	66
2	3827	3827	215		25		798	1225	1100			3363	7190	67
	6412	6412	400			203	1500	200	1296			3599	10011	68
	3708	3708	1504	60		190	562	387	520		88	3311	7019	69
2	7932	7932	268			70	952	1850	1180	50		4370	12302	70
1	1836		182				119	151	170	9		631	631	71
1	3012	3012	682				725	820	602	705	225	3759	6771	72
	3000	3000	367	49		124	241	267	400	400		1848	4848	73
	4392	4392	1309	60	118	120	405	682	1083	63	50	3890	8282	74
	1848	1848	203	20		12	292	42	200			769	2617	75
	5532	5532	1000	136			300	264	1036			2736	8268	76
	3168	3168	1597				2207	664	244		50	4762	7930	77
	1128	1128	55	10			456	14	156			691	1819	78
12	**106808**	**102010**	**21459**	**642**	**143**	**1694**	**29844**	**23322**	**15482**	**2872**	**1204**	**96662**	**198672**	

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B. LOCAL EXPENDITURES

Asst. Ministers' Expense Items													
Cash Salary Paid by Local Church	Rental Value of Ch.-own. Parsonage	Housing Allow In Lieu Parsonage	Utilities	Other Compensation	Received from Appropriations	Total Ministerial Compensation	Ministerial Expenses Paid by Church	General Board of Pensions 9% Appor.	Cash Salary Paid by Local Church	Rental Value of Ch.-own. Parsonage	Housing Allowance in Lieu Parsonage	Utilities	Other Compensation
4650	720		550			5920	300	419					
5720	1000		525			7245	750	686					
1300			520			1820	119						
6000	1200		423	395		8018	600	540					
4238	900		283			5421	100	331					
4200	600		660		90	5550	500	414					
3703	450		151			4304		303					
2080		150				2230		186					
6250	1600		400			8250	1080	281					
2808	720		643			4171		63					
	1200		650	140	4950	6940		419					
1397						1397							
4650			80	139		4869	50	419					
5000	640					5640		450					
3499	270			10		3779							
5000	1500		400			6900	760	450					
3380			500			3880		304					
4800	1200		500	144		6644	1300	432					
2700	720		129	81	324	3954	264	243					
71375	**12720**	**150**	**6414**	**909**	**5364**	**96932**	**5823**	**5940**					
3340			231	82	1148	4801		247					
5200	1440		695	156		7491	1000	468					
6500	1200		578	195		8473	1040	585	2600		325		
7020		1500	300	842		9662	500	632					
5196	1500		457	156		7309	1200	468					
4276	1020		531	130		5957	510	389					
5160	600			186		5946	520	438					
7200	900		482	216		8798	1000	648	4750	900		327	142
20900	900	3000		627		25427	2678	1881					
5270	900		479	172		6821	840	516	1950				
3897		900	651			5448	449	376					
5350	960		564	140		7014	635	421					
3200	720		316	500		4736		300					
5127	800		438	100		6465	630	300					
6500	2000		1000	195		9695		585					
6500	1200			195		7895	900	585	360				
5690		1800	280	171		7941	70	508					
5000		1200	500	800		7500	500	450	5099				400
3600	1080		300	123	567	5670	61	369					
5304	1020		450	159		6933		477					
5700	1200		529	1200		8629	50	513					
5650	900		420	357		7327	1200	509					
4000	900		334	120		5354	500	360					
6750	720			202		7672	600	608	1341		171		
6250	780		350			7380		562	390				
4680	600		357			5637		421					
153260	**21340**	**8400**	**10242**	**7024**	**1715**	**201987**	**14883**	**13616**	**16490**	**900**	**496**	**327**	**542**

B. LOCAL EXPENDITURES

Assistant Ministers' Received from Appropriation	Total Ministerial Compensation	Ministerial Expenses Paid by Church	General Board of Pensions 9% Appor.	Other Current Exp. Inc. Maintenance	Sun. Church, Vac., Weekday School	Fellowships	E.U.B. Men	W.S.W.S.	Paid this Year On Indebtedness	Paid this Year On Interest	Paid on New Bldg. and Property	Paid on Improvements	Paid Into Reserve, Trust Funds this Yr.	
				6394	744			447				357	2038	33
				8885	1100			578					1000	34
				803	760	105		85				300		35
				18253	1428	18		292	1194	591		6643	1596	36
				3511	598	124		48				1580		37
				2743	854				1021	25	24900	896		28
				2438	608	91	29	520	1360	100	324	343		39
				1004		16								40
				26405	450				26229	5366		916		41
				808	258			160	247	157	534	26		42
				1453	456			4					241	43
				53										44
				350	450	97	55	49						45
				3853	333		19		4445	2174			5465	46
				2236	1717	1218			2825	326	16045			47
				3420		7		317	1762	458			4321	48
				1744	624				804	588		2189		29
				5705	685	60		47	7043	2499		977		50
														51
				2143	366	166						150	345	52
				92201	**11431**	**1902**	**103**	**2547**	**46930**	**12284**	**41803**	**14377**	**15006**	
				5750	829			76	3278	3022		436		53
				7065	685	250		297	512	1808	206010		17413	54
	2925			19681	3132	150	300	240	8600	2914	18000	4055	14119	55
				36443	3378	808		1047	29520	8609	29000	191		56
				13865	1383	68			4462	5988	19444	708		57
				4389	750	189		85				1536		58
				12130	686	110	265	526	1206	243			556	59
	6119	400	427	33375	1644	3194	452	4046	21017	12268				60
				31097	3111	99	487	1492		3163	228417		71911	61
	1950	420		11813	1581	371			498	488	67774		12795	62
				6220	425	456		219	2475	1836		502	20550	63
				7397	852	31		366				1752		64
				3944	749	79		192				85		65
				7333	1373	55	100	1003	5863	3080	60	1596		66
				27984	1462		50	800	75	7375	1600	4666		67
	360			19511	1750	134	150	200	5086	278				68
				14202	1326	67	50	527	5945	995		1545		69
	5499			30160	5342		280	41		7000	123073	505		70
				3972	652	75			3460	1328		2707		71
				10226	1546		52		12065	290				72
				9763	705	40	58	329	9336	4310		905	9907	73
				15835	1870	338	416	701				1348		74
				3782	480			32				736		75
	1512			17393	1794	235			10800				35019	76
	390			8742	1249			1136						77
				2490	963	79	11	68					841	78
	18755	**820**	**427**	**364562**	**39717**	**6828**	**2671**	**13423**	**130798**	**64995**	**693378**	**23273**	**183111**	

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B. LOCAL EXPENDITURES

Total Local Expenditures this Yr.	Borrowed Funds Spent this Year	Paid Out of Reserve Trust Funds This Yr.	Grants from Annual Conf., Other Ch. Ag.	Special Gifts from Non-members	Rec. from Sale of Ch. Owned Property	Total Deductions	Net Total for Local Expense	Total for All Purposes	Ave. per Member for Missions & Bene.	Ave. per Member For All Purposes
15899		813				813	15086	21130	16	55
19244							19244	25667	12	51
3992							3992	4712	11	68
37973		4566				4566	33407	42364	11	56
10813							10813	13289	15	88
36213			20000			20000	16213	17835	9	102
9970							9970	12196	11	63
3436							3436	4534	15	65
67377							67377	76454	10	84
5704							5704	6639	6	48
3363							3363	3677	14	222
1450							1450	1714	5	33
6339							6339	10856	24	60
21739		6599				6599	15140	16945	6	64
27876	16050					16050	11826	12962	6	7
16895			1000			1000	15895	17613	10	101
10133							10133	11455	11	98
24192			1500			1500	22692	25825	13	108
6587			324			324	6263	7139	11	77
329195	**16050**	**11978**	**22824**			**50852**	**278343**	**333006**	**11**	**69**
17291			1200	300		1500	15791	16042	1	80
241559	111880	84230			7000	203110	38449	43035	10	94
83014	18000	15569		1400		34969	48045	60044	15	71
119790	20000	9000				29000	90790	109597	10	63
53395	19444					19444	33951	36354	7	107
12785							12785	15837	16	74
22026	3310					3310	18716	22286	12	82
91588							91588	108338	12	91
368863	149500	81608		9408	21500	262016	106847	145011	21	82
104967	22327	48807				71134	33833	41822	11	58
38956				1000	22000	23000	15956	18480	11	82
17508							17508	22435	15	70
9365							9365	11399	10	64
27058				10		10	27048	30976	7	58
58892	168000	65000				233000	-174108	-166918	8	
35649							35649	45660	13	58
33176		1000				1000	32176	39195	14	78
180350	94629					94629	85721	98023	12	84
16647			6081	100		6181	10466	11097	4	68
30569							30569	37340	13	71
43345		13646				13646	29699	34547	11	82
28644							28644	36926	16	74
10344							10344	12961	12	59
74913							74913	83181	9	90
18679							18679	26609	18	62
9910							9910	11729	19	122
1749283	**607090**	**318860**	**7281**	**12218**	**50500**	**995949**	**753334**	**952006**	**12**	**60**

III FINANCES

A. Local Church Property

No. of Churches	No. of Parsonages	Value of Churches	Value of Parsonages	Value of Other Church Property	Total Value of Local Church Prop.	Total Insurance	Indebtedness on Churches	Indebtedness on Parsonages	Indebtedness on Other Local Church Property	Total Reserve and Trust Funds	
1	1	115000	8000		123000	98000				9441	33
1	1	185000	15000		200000	200000				2000	34
1		16000			16000	12000					35
1	1	255000	26000	35000	316000	265000	1100	9169		1671	36
1	1	68000	13600	4500	86100	71100					37
1	1	70000	14000	1500	85500	70000	20000				38
1	1	100000	15500		115500	97000		1211			39
1		7000			7000	7000				500	40
1	1	416000	20000	14500	450500	415000	71073		13593		41
1	1	23000	3800		26800	36300		2496			42
1	1	24000	14500		38500					3199	43
1		5000			5000	4400					44
1	1										45
1	1	90000	12000	4500	106500	98000	46439			1735	46
	1	76000	16000	8000	100000	93500	22600				47
1	1	45000	30000	24000	99000	70300	8184			9830	48
1	1	35000	15000		50000	40000	11309				49
1	1	100000	25000	5000	130000	109000	40000	9000			50
											51
1	1	30000	8500		38500	27000				1650	52
19	**16**	**1660000**	**236900**	**97000**	**1993900**	**1713600**	**220685**	**21876**	**13593**	**27226**	
2		115672			115672	86000	57632				53
1	1	270000	32000	23000	325000	200000	111880				54
1	1	260000	10000	68000	338000	278000			59900	5451	55
1	1	700000	29000		729000	609614	150189	20000		5439	56
1	1	224979	23500	25600	274079	150000	137180				57
1	1	80000	15000		95000	77000					58
1	1	87500	14500	7500	109500	102000		4497	2454	556	59
1	2	535000	20000	27000	582000	582000	190000			8588	60
1		1000000		17250	1017250	780000	225000			35778	61
1	1	108000	20000	18000	146000	128000			7421		62
1		82000		10000	92000	62000	35033			20550	63
1	1	95000	15000	8000	118000	116500					64
1	1	75000	6000	3500	84500	58000				4420	65
1	1	200000	20000	13500	233500	200000	41773	10476			66
1	1	1000000	40000	25000	1065000	750000	168000				67
1	1	455000	28000	32000	515000	500000			3350		68
1		322120		14500	336620	294740	11137				69
1		950000		25000	975000	900000	196000				70
1	1	125000	12000		137000	108000	22000				71
1	1	115000	10000	25000	150000	88000			3200		72
1	1	175000	15000	12000	202000	150000	62000			7500	73
1	1	293000	15000		308000	307000				5000	74
1	1	80000	15000		95000	101000				5868	75
1	1	462000	20000		482000	435000	184000				76
1	1	210000	10000		220000	186000				15880	77
1	1	35000	7000	7000	49000	40500				11064	78
27	**22**	**8055271**	**377000**	**361850**	**8794121**	**7289354**	**1591824**	**34973**	**76325**	**126094**	

Statistical Report

Southwest Group

Southeast Group

Average Attendance			Children									Youth						
Sunday Morning Worship Service	Sunday Evening Worship Service	Mid-Week Service	Church School Sunday Officers	Nursery	Kindergarten	Primary	Juniors	Teachers	Enrolled in Pastor's Classes	Boys and Girls Fellowship Hour Average Attendance	Junior High	Senior High	Teachers	Enrolled in Pastor's Classes	Junior High	Senior High	
117			4		16	8	29	3	17	5	15	13	2		7	4	89
148	39	16	22	13	7	23	20	10	6	24	16	19	6			20	90
237		68	7	12	13	34	53	21	23		34	28	4	2	14	21	91
127			14		7	12	22	5	8		3	8	2			15	92
166		20	21	16	15	14	20		9		24	8			9	6	93
152		52	5	10	11	37	22	12		15	31	30	7	12	10	15	94
44			10		7	7	8				9	13					95
12			3	2	1	2											96
158			3	28	28	63	50	22			31	24	4	12	30	23	97
266		14	6	12	32	42	44	15			30	41	4	25	12	26	98
101			3	7	8	7	9	5	6	6		7	2			10	99
47			3	3	5	2		3	1		5		1				100
74			5	1	7	16	13	8			12	19	4	15		17	101
114				12	13	10	16	5			16	9	3	12		8	102
116			3	12	14	23	21	24	5		12	10	3		12	8	103
48			3	1	1	4	1	1	1			4	1	1		10	104
252		14	5	10	35	48	40	20	24	20	23	18	3		26		105
2179	**39**	**184**	**117**	**139**	**220**	**352**	**368**	**154**	**100**	**70**	**261**	**251**	**46**	**79**	**120**	**183**	
29			3	2		6	7	1				8	1		4		106
29			3		13		4	2			6	8	2		4	5	107
21			3	1	1	1					1		1				108
76			3	17	22		16	4				15	1		8	9	109
49			11		5	4	6					10	1		1	10	110
29			7				10					7				8	111
67			9	3	5		3	3				12	1				112
50			5		14	8	9	5			6	7	2			10	113
15	18	8	5			6		1			6		1				114
31	31	16	5		10	8	10	3				18	1	13		15	115
396	**49**	**24**	**54**	**23**	**70**	**33**	**65**	**19**			**19**	**85**	**11**	**13**	**17**	**57**	
16131	**270**	**1076**	**943**	**1390**	**1733**	**2839**	**3040**	**997**	**605**	**1064**	**2184**	**2429**	**303**	**564**	**843**	**1256**	

MINISTRY AND CHARGES			CHRISTIAN LIFE AND WORK																								
				Gained By				Lost By																			
CHARGE	CHURCH	PASTOR	Members Reported at close of Last Year	Confession of Faith	Certificate of Transfer	Certificate of Memb.	Total Gain	Death	Certificate of Transfer	Certificate of Memb.	Withdrawn without Certificate	Other Ways	Total Loss	Net Gain	Net Loss	Present Membership	Non-resident Members	Members Under 13 Years of Age	Conversions	Reclamations	Baptisms and Dedications (all ages)	Number of Enrolled Tithers	Number of Contributing Units	Number of Families Member	Number of Families Non-Member	Number of Church and Home Subscriptions
SOUTHWEST GROUP																											
89 Batavia	Batavia	William Worth	291	2			2	4		4		22	30		28	263	43		2		4			95	10	94
90 Cherry Grove	Cherry Grove	Kyle Phipps	246		2	4	6	4			4		8		2	244	13	3		12	8		120	149	65	6
91 Cheviot	Cheviot	Wendell Freshley	588	27	4	3	34	7	6	8	4		25	9		597	36	12	27	12	12	28	301	330	35	246
92 Clifton	Clifton	George McAhren	283	4	3	5	12	5		4	124		133		121	162	16	1	4	2	9	10	124	92	11	100
93 Clough	Clough	James Frazier	266	7		6	13	2		8	4	1	15		2	264	10		7	4	3			130		98
94 College Hill	College Hill	Edward Ohms	351	17	2	5	24	3		18	10		31		7	344	11		17		7		120	160	22	151
95 Dunlap	Dunlap	Byron Sprague	72	12		5	17	2	3				5	12		84	6		12		9					
96 Five Mile	Five Mile	Carl Vorpe	31													31	1									2
97 Mt. Airy	Mt. Airy	William Hensley	351	15		13	28	4	3	6	1		14	14		365	13		15	2	21	3	214	171	101	2
98 Mt. Healthy	Mt. Healthy	Herman Emmert	484	18	4	18	40	6		2	10		18	22		506	22		18		14	15	250	281	76	40
99 New Haven	New Haven	Harry Sinks	173	8	3	2	13	2	1	3	3		9	4		177	34	1	8		8	15	65	91	15	54
100 Harrison	Harrison	Harry Sinks	88	4	3	1	8	1			1		2	6		94	23	3	4		2	9	26	49	3	27
101 Newport	Newport	Ronald Hill	189					3			3	11	17		17	172	32				2			120	60	96
102 North Bend	North Bend	Eugene Purdy	261	1		1	2	20	3	10	21	9	63		61	200			1		1					8
103 Prince of Peace	Prince of Peace	Marvin McRoberts	159	24		22	46	1	3		8		12	34		193	11	8	24		18		100	95	20	
104 Willey Memorial	Willey Memorial	Wendell Butt	85	3		1	4	1					1	3		88	10		3	2	2		36	44	12	5
105 Zion	Zion	Charles Loveless	358	22		4	26		2				2	24		382	47	7	22		8		118	130	30	72
Totals Southwest Group			4276	164	21	90	275	65	21	63	193	43	385	128	238 110	4166	328	35	164	34	128	80	1474	1937	460	1001
SOUTHEAST GROUP																											
106 Brown County	Bloom Rose	Paul Westbrook	43	2	1		3	1				3	4		1	42	8		2					29	5	22
107	Browntown	Paul Westbrook	39													39	1							29		
108	Ketterman Chapel	Paul Westbrook	20					1					1		1	19	3							15	2	11
109	Union Plains	Paul Westbrook	76								2		2		2	74	4							54	15	41
110 Hillsboro	Hillsboro	Robert Stanley	139							1			1		1	138	33					12	30	35	1	
111 East Danville	East Danville	Robert Stanley	52													52					4	10	10	10	1	
112 Mowrystown	Mowrystown	Francis Huber	125					4					4		4	121	26									
113 Second Creek	Second Creek	Marlin Miller	63		1		1		1				1			63	19				6	29	27	40		
114 Wrightsville	Wrightsville	Wyvonne Freeman	26									1	1		1	25	5							14	3	17
115 Liberty Chapel	Liberty Chapel	Wyvonne Freeman	28	3			3					1	1	2		30	7	2	3		5	10	19	10	4	14
Totals Southeast Group			611	5	2		7	6	1	1	2	5	15	2	10 8	603	106	2	5		5	32	88	223	71	105
Inactive Church White Oak			22									22	22		22											
GRAND TOTALS			35283	1091	368	450	1909	398	288	475	719	112	1992	714	797 83	35200	3379	376	1091	151	1125	795	12377	15946	2905	10491

II CHRISTIAN EDUCATION

Average Attendance			Children								Youth					
Sunday Morning Worship Service	Sunday Evening Worship Service	Mid-Week Service	Church School Sunday Officers	Nursery	Kindergarten	Primary	Juniors	Teachers	Enrolled in Pastor's Classes	Boys and Girls Fellowship Hour Average Attendance	Junior High	Senior High	Teachers	Enrolled In Pastor's Classes	Junior High	Senior High	
117			4		16	8	29	3	17	5	15	13	2		7	4	89
148	39	16	22	13	7	23	20	10	6	24	16	19	6			20	90
237		68	7	12	13	34	53	21	23		34	28	4	2	14	21	91
127			14		7	12	22	5	8		3	8	2			15	92
166		20	21	16	15	14	20		9		24	8			9	6	93
152		52	5	10	11	37	22	12		15	31	30	7	12	10	15	94
44			10		7	7	8				9	13					95
12			3	2	1	2											96
158			3	28	28	63	50	22			31	24	4	12	30	23	97
266		14	6	12	32	42	44	15			30	41	4	25	12	26	98
101			3	7	8	7	9	5	6	6		7	2			10	99
47			3	3	5	2		3	1		5		1				100
74			5	1	7	16	13	8			12	19	4	15		17	101
114				12	13	10	16	5			16	9	3	12		8	102
116			3	12	14	23	21	24	5		12	10	3		12	8	103
48			3	1	1	4	1	1	1			4	1	1		10	104
252		14	5	10	35	48	40	20	24	20	23	18	3		26		105
2179	**39**	**184**	**117**	**139**	**220**	**352**	**368**	**154**	**100**	**70**	**261**	**251**	**46**	**79**	**120**	**183**	
29			3	2		6	7	1				8	1		4		106
29			3		13		4	2			6	8	2		4	5	107
21			3	1	1	1					1		1				108
76			3	17	22		16	4				15	1		8	9	109
49			11		5	4	6					10	1		1	10	110
29			7				10					7				8	111
67			9	3	5		3	3				12	1				112
50			5		14	8	9	5			6	7	2			10	113
15	18	8	5			6		1			6		1				114
31	31	16	5		10	8	10	3				18	1	13		15	115
396	**49**	**24**	**54**	**23**	**70**	**33**	**65**	**19**			**19**	**85**	**11**	**13**	**17**	**57**	
16131	**270**	**1076**	**943**	**1390**	**1733**	**2839**	**3040**	**997**	**605**	**1064**	**2184**	**2429**	**303**	**564**	**843**	**1256**	

II CHRISTIAN EDUCATION

Adults												Enrollments-Averages					Higher Ed		
Adults	Home Department	Teachers	Enrolled in Pastor's Casses	Organized chapter of E.U.B. Men?	Male Members	Organized Society of W.S.W.S.?	Enrolled in W.S.W.S.	Organized Adult Fellowship?	Enrolled in Adult Fellowship	Organized Young Adult Fellowship?	Enrolled in Young Adult Felowship	Sunday Church School Enrollment	Sunday Church School Average Attendance	Enrolled in Vacation Church Schools	Enrolled in Weekday Church Schools	Enrolled in Christian Ser. Training Courses	Number Attending E.U.B. Colleges	No. Attending Church related or private Col.	No. Attending Tax Supported Colleges
129	7	5	.....	yes	85	yes	31	.....	.....	.....	.....	231	116	10	.....	.....	.....	2	2
105	9	6	.....	no	90	yes	48	no	.....	no	.....	256	123	.....	.....	.....	.....	4	.....
106	11	4	5	yes	186	yes	106	no	.....	no	.....	327	165	.....	39	.....	1	.....	21
26	6	3	.....	no	.....	yes	47	no	.....	no	.....	108	67	57	.....	2	2	.....	2
.....	6	3	.....	yes	.....	yes	.....	yes	45	no	.....	127	125	48	12	.....	.....	.....	1
86	12	4	5	yes	150	yes	48	no	.....	no	.....	267	152	95	18	8	.....	2	16
14	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	yes	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	68	53	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
8	.....	.....	.....	no	.....	no	.....	no	.....	no	.....	16	8	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
.....	.....	.....	6	no	123	yes	77	yes	66	no	.....	253	153	6	.....	.....	1	.....	16
59	.....	5	27	yes	161	yes	82	no	.....	yes	11	290	212	65	.....	.....	2	3	14
44	7	3	.....	yes	20	yes	27	no	.....	no	.....	102	74	30	2	.....	.....	.....	5
21	.....	3	.....	no	.....	yes	23	no	.....	no	.....	46	35	6	3	.....	.....	.....	.....
21	1	3	5	no	.....	yes	13	no	.....	no	.....	110	84	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2
60	4	4	12	no	.....	yes	25	yes	27	yes	8	152	69	27	.....	.....	.....	1	5
30	.....	3	.....	yes	12	yes	14	no	.....	no	.....	155	85	35	.....	.....	.....	1	2
20	.....	2	.....	no	29	yes	10	no	.....	no	.....	38	25	.....	2	.....	1	.....	4
69	.....	3	19	no	.....	yes	69	no	.....	no	.....	274	208	109	.....	14	.....	2	16
798	**63**	**51**	**79**	**7**	**856**	**16**	**620**	**3**	**138**	**2**	**19**	**2820**	**1754**	**488**	**76**	**24**	**7**	**15**	**106**
14	.....	1	.....	no	13	no	.....	no	.....	no	.....	43	28	28	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
26	.....	2	.....	no	13	no	.....	no	.....	no	.....	66	23	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
21	.....	1	.....	no	6	yes	10	no	.....	no	.....	30	18	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	.....
28	.....	2	.....	no	20	no	.....	no	.....	no	.....	108	69	35	.....	.....	.....	2	.....
34	.....	3	.....	no	.....	yes	10	no	.....	no	.....	74	61	20	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	no	.....	no	.....	no	.....	24	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
75	.....	3	.....	no	.....	no	.....	no	.....	no	.....	114	65	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	3
53	.....	4	.....	no	.....	no	.....	no	.....	no	.....	113	54	58	.....	.....	.....	.....	1
13	.....	2	.....	no	.....	yes	14	no	.....	no	.....	34	19	22	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
15	.....	1	.....	no	.....	yes	11	no	.....	no	.....	71	49	42	.....	.....	.....	.....	1
279	.....	**19**	.....	.....	**52**	**4**	**45**	.....	.....	.....	.....	**677**	**386**	**205**	.....	.....	.....	**3**	**5**
9619	**506**	**405**	**583**	**35**	**4575**	**93**	**4503**	**18**	**718**	**19**	**354**	**26388**	**14729**	**5861**	**486**	**327**	**127**	**169**	**632**

III FINANCES

Number Planning full-time Christian Vocations	Christian Service Fund Apportionment	Paid on Christian Ser. Fund Apportionment	A. MISSIONS AND BENEVOLENCES — Cont. Not in Budget: W.S.W.S. Offerings	E.U.B. Men Offerings	Boys and Girls Fel Missionary Offering	Youth Fellowship World Ser. Off.	Other Miss. & Bene. Denominational	Other Miss. & Bene. Non-Denom.	Homes for Children, Aged	E.U.B. Colleges	E.U.B. Seminaries	Total Miss. & Bene. Contributions not in Budget Apportio.	Total for Missions and Benevolence	
2	2040	2040	342	31	.....	.....	290	210	382	93	72	1420	3460	89
....	2040	2040	300	20	.....	.....	137	186	276	6	.....	925	2965	90
1	3300	3300	759	.....	.....	145	1670	479	291	75	.....	3419	6719	91
2	2208	1119	450	.....	14	123	.....	159	409	100	80	1335	2454	92
....	1956	1956	445	.....	.....	41	1784	477	484	50	200	3481	5437	93
....	2352	2352	382	25	20	40	490	339	300	50	25	1671	4023	94
....	516	336	.....	.....	.....	.....	34	.....	44	.....	.....	78	414	95
....	180	132	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	132	96
1	2364	2364	120	.....	.....	54	363	.....	400	61	.....	998	3362	97
1	2976	2976	695	10	.....	96	817	50	500	125	.....	2293	5269	98
....	1200	1200	248	25	22	30	47	.....	237	.....	.....	609	1809	99
....	504	462	163	.....	.....	.....	109	28	222	.....	.....	522	984	100
....	1200	1200	171	.....	.....	.....	72	75	192	.....	.....	510	1710	101
....	1644	1690	119	.....	.....	30	382	36	1	.....	.....	568	2258	102
....	1034	1034	.....	.....	.....	.....	295	.....	220	27	.....	542	1576	103
1	792	371	81	.....	.....	.....	8	18	133	15	.....	255	626	104
1	2784	2784	488	.....	.....	.....	364	94	.....	12	.....	958	3742	105
9	**29090**	**27356**	**4763**	**111**	**56**	**559**	**6862**	**2151**	**4091**	**614**	**377**	**19584**	**46940**	
....	204	204	.....	.....	.....	10	113	.....	25	.....	.....	148	352	106
....	300	300	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	140	10	.....	.....	150	450	107
....	180	177	.....	2	.....	2	40	.....	14	.....	.....	58	235	108
....	492	492	.....	.....	.....	20	46	.....	56	.....	.....	122	614	109
....	636	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	120	.....	.....	120	120	110
....	228	72	.....	.....	.....	.....	25	.....	.....	.....	.....	25	97	111
....	792	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	14	84	.....	.....	98	98	112
....	564	564	.....	.....	.....	5	84	7	97	.....	50	243	807	113
....	156	156	.....	.....	.....	.....	25	.....	15	.....	.....	40	196	114
....	252	186	.....	.....	.....	.....	61	36	32	.....	.....	129	315	115
....	**3804**	**2151**	.....	**2**	.....	**37**	**394**	**197**	**453**	.....	**50**	**1133**	**3284**	
38	**239212**	**225675**	**44029**	**1112**	**240**	**4088**	**60101**	**30450**	**35749**	**6507**	**2574**	**184850**	**410525**	

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B. LOCAL EXPENDITURES

Asst. Ministers' Expense Items														
Cash Salary Paid by Local Church	Rental Value of Ch.-own. Parsonage	Housing Allow In Lieu Parsonage	Utilities	Other Compensation	Received from Appropriations	Total Ministerial Compensation	Ministerial Expenses Paid by Church	General Board of Pensions 9% Appor.	Cash Salary Paid by Local Church	Rental Value of Ch.-own. Parsonage	Housing Allowance in Lieu Parsonage	Utilities	Other Compensation
4660	1200	.....	600	604	.....	7064	60	236	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
4659	1200	.....	459	139	.....	6457	600	418	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
5700	900	.....	497	171	.....	7268	1000	517	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
5200	1200	.....	.....	159	.....	6559	800	468	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
4940	1200	.....	558	148	.....	6846	1060	444	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
5200	1200	.....	400	156	.....	6956	785	468	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
1820	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1820	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
600	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	600	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
5200	1440	.....	300	260	.....	7200	500	468	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
5200	1200	.....	554	156	.....	7110	1095	468	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
2875	600	.....	410	90	.....	3975	10	270	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
1943	.....	.....	.....	61	.....	2004	.....	182	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
4494	720	.....	.....	.....	.....	5214	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
5040	1200	.....	623	151	.....	7014	.....	454	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
4800	1500	.....	632	146	.....	7078	800	432	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
4000	900	.....	.....	.....	.....	4900	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
5280	1200	.....	.....	120	.....	6600	1083	360	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
71611	**15660**	.....	**5033**	**2361**	.....	**94665**	**7793**	**5185**	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
575	148	.....	16	.....	156	895	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
758	148	.....	16	.....	156	1078	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
503	148	.....	15	.....	156	822	.....	42	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
1330	148	.....	17	.....	156	1651	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
2964	600	.....	.....	348	.....	3912	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
969	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	969	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
4004	.....	480	.....	.....	.....	4484	.....	360	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
2300	900	.....	200	.....	880	4280	.....	286	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
430	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	430	.....	.....	10	.....	.....	.....	.....
480	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	480	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
14313	**2092**	**480**	**264**	**348**	**1504**	**19001**	.....	**688**	**10**	.....	.....	.....	.....
454093	**70739**	**14480**	**21715**	**13589**	**8683**	**593299**	**39930**	**36721**	**19162**	**900**	**496**	**327**	**542**

B. LOCAL EXPENDITURES

Assistant Ministers' Received from Appropriation	Total Ministerial Compensation	Ministerial Expenses Paid by Church	General Board of Pensions 9% Appor.	Other Current Exp. Inc. Maintenance	Sun. Church, Vac., Weekday School	Fellowships	E.U.B. Men	W.S.W.S.	Paid this Year On Indebtedness	Paid this Year On Interest	Paid on New Bldg. and Property	Paid on Improvements	Paid Into Reserve, Trust Funds this Yr.	
				4512	1385			64						89
				4842	846		20	716	2223			656		90
				6236	1468	97	210	454			36437		71815	91
				8775	599			88	482			2616	1623	92
				6757	1276	161	228	555	5245	1008	21477	260	14679	93
				7307	743	158	349	417	6073	1157		1753		94
				1311	572									95
				5	26									96
				8862	1350			424	12801	3915				97
				8386	1441	15	94	2996	9393	2152	580	1054		98
				2854	804	31	106	340		545	13941	9	200	99
				991	593							133		100
				2375	1110	31		77				296		101
				3705	505	256		25	3288			507		102
				5604	1036	96	200	160	2819	2070	73272	1359		103
				2595	281	128		39						104
				6478	805			430	9596	2496			956	105
				81595	**14840**	**973**	**1207**	**6785**	**51920**	**13343**	**145707**	**8643**	**89273**	
				290	127	255		187						106
				394	88	99		8				143		107
				217	109			167						108
				738	223	51		180	800	43		464		109
				1058	243			500	87					110
				98	181			367				26		111
				882	257									112
				365	360	103		188				129		113
	10			180	145			95						114
				220	187	20		75				850		115
	10			**4442**	**1920**	**528**		**1767**	**887**	**43**		**1612**		
	21427	**1228**	**427**	**683936**	**98146**	**12098**	**4900**	**32460**	**271518**	**99346**	**933008**	**92453**	**311591**	

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B. LOCAL EXPENDITURES

Total Local Expenditures this Yr.	Borrowed Funds Spent this Year	Paid Out of Reserve Trust Funds This Yr.	Grants from Annual Conf., Other Ch. Ag.	Special Gifts from Non-members	Rec. from Sale of Ch. Owned Property	Total Deductions	Net Total for Local Expense	Total for All Purposes	Ave. per Member for Missions & Bene.	Ave. per Member For All Purposes
12121							12121	15581	13	59
15578		190				190	15388	18353	12	76
124602		36437			38000	74437	50165	56884	11	95
20810							20810	23264	15	143
58796		28328				28328	30468	35905	21	141
24966							24966	28989	12	84
3703							3703	4117	5	54
631							631	763	4	24
34080							34080	37442	9	96
33584							33584	38853	10	79
22485		6270		25		6295	16190	17999	10	105
4143				309		309	3834	4818	10	51
8143				100		100	8043	9753	10	61
14554							14554	16812	7	52
93426	70000	1759				71759	21667	23243	8	120
7043							7043	7669	8	99
27604			1500			1500	26104	29846	10	76
506269	**70000**	**72984**	**1500**	**434**	**38000**	**182918**	**323351**	**370291**	**9**	**88**
1450							1450	1802	8	46
1506							1506	1956	11	52
1053							1053	1288	12	75
3846							3846	4460	9	65
5200							5200	5320		38
1641							1641	1738		30
5983							5983	6081		50
3931							3931	4738	13	75
860							860	1056	8	42
1832							1832	2147	11	72
27302							**27302**	**30586**	**5**	**50**
3152166	**706940**	**406280**	**31605**	**14052**	**88500**	**1247377**	**1904789**	**2315314**	**11**	**65**

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A. Local Church Property

No. of Churches	No. of Parsonages	Value of Churches	Value of Parsonages	Value of Other Church Property	Total Value of Local Church Prop.	Total Insurance	Indebtedness on Churches	Indebtedness on Parsonages	Indebtedness on Other Local Church Property	Total Reserve and Trust Funds	
1	1	100000	15000	9000	124000	91100				300	89
1	2	66000	35000	5000	106000	84200		4000			90
1	1		11000	52000	63000	52000				155604	91
1	1	182000			182000	167000	1500			4630	92
1	1	60000	20000	26000	106000	67000				18591	93
1	1	180000	8500		188500	196000	19245			2000	94
1											95
1		5000			5000						96
1	1	40000	20000	13'5000	195000	182000			64507	2403	97
1	1	275000	25000		300000	263000	32892				98
1	1	90000	15000		105000	67000	8000			2240	99
1		10000			10000	8500					100
1	1	60000	10000	2000	72000	52000					101
1	1	100000	25000		125000	125000	28017				102
2	1	93000	18000	40000	151000	104000	70000				103
1	1	55000	10000		65000	56000					104
1	1	190000	14700		204700	204700	80000				105
18	**15**	**1506000**	**227200**	**269000**	**2002200**	**1719500**	**239654**	**4000**	**64507**	**185768**	
1	1	6500	1250		7750	7000					106
1	1	1800	1250	500	3550	1300					107
1	1	1500	1250		2750						108
1	1	9000	1250		10250	11250	200				109
1	1	30000	8000		38000	40000	1900			2000	110
1		7000			7000	6500					111
1	1	60000	8000		68000	15000				1000	112
1		12500			12500	10000				3322	113
1		15000			15000	12000					114
1		8000			8000	5000					115
10	**6**	**151300**	**21000**	**500**	**172800**	**108050**	**2100**			**6322**	
116	**91**	**14736571**	**1247600**	**778550**	**16762721**	**14148554**	**2197888**	**79637**	**168425**	**444382**	

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